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Yours Truly, MRS. HENRY ELWOOD.

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May 29 d&f

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AT CASTLE GARDEN.

SCENES ABOUT THE GREATEST DOORWAY IN THE WORLD.

The Portal Through Which Millions Enter the United States—How the New Comers Look and Act—It Was Here That Jenny Lind Sang Years Ago.

The old Castle Garden building is not a pretty one. It is simply an old fashioned round stone fort, from which the implements of war have been missing some forty years, and in their place are a few railings dividing the floor into large cribs or pens into which the emigrants are herded almost like cattle. But it is an amazingly interesting building. In itself it carries the mind back to the revolutionary period, when the city was in its babyhood—a little village clustering around the Battery. Then one recollects that after this it was a fashionable gathering place, a sort of opera house, the one in which Jenny Lind sang when she was here. After that the interest in the old building ceased to be local, and has become almost universal rather than national, for winding through its single great apartment from the boats on the river side to the gates that face the park has passed a flood of men and women from every civilized land, numbering 8,000,000 souls, and building up our population by a method unprecedented in the world's history.

SCANNING A SHIP'S LOAD.

Two ship loads of greenhorns were filing into the old fort as I stood looking on into the first pens from boats that had brought them from ships lying out in the harbor. Down the bay the health officers had assured themselves that there were no contagious diseases aboard, but at the water gate of the Castle were other doctors who narrowly scanned every emigrant as he or she landed, and who every now and then touched one on the shoulder and bade him stand aside. It was their business to discover any such severe sufferers from illness as might seem to be unable to make their own way in this country, all cripples and whatever young girls might happen along who appeared to be on the verge of motherhood without the accompaniment of husbands. These amount to very many every year. All such were afterward closely questioned, and unless there was somebody to guarantee that they should not become a charge upon the public they were sent back to Europe by the steamer lines that brought them, at no charge to them or the authorities, because it is the duty of the steamship people to scrutinize all who apply for passage on the other side and to refuse to bring emigrants of this sort.

These people were all waiting their turn to give their name, age, birthplace and destination for the clerks to put on record in the big books of the garden. While they waited they smoked their pipes, nursed their babies, bought unpalatable looking repasts at provision counters, washed and tidied themselves, sprawled out on the benches and slept, and so were obliged to spend the greater part of the day until the boats from the railroad depots should come up in the afternoon to take them up town or over to Jersey, and thence into the rapacious maw of the great west. Some of them had their money changed by brokers appointed for the purpose, who doubtless make a great deal of profit, but are under bonds to charge no more than Wall street rates of commission, and to change the single silver piece of the poorest Italian woman at the same rate as the $1,000 of one of the well to do.

PROTECTED FROM SHARPERS.

The only money the emigrants can part with in the garden now must go for provisions or railroad tickets or to the very enterprising barber who has a shop there and seems in much demand. His signs are peculiar. They are in German, and they announce "Razoring, fifteen cents; head washing, twenty cents." The signs of the provision dealers show that loaves of rye bread fetch fifteen cents, or other bread ten cents; that cheese goes for twenty cents a pound, and that the other articles in strong demand are ham, pumpernickel, lager beer and pie, all of which are sold at rates proportionate to the prices given above.

Doubtless there is a good deal of swindling and extortion practiced among the landlords who keep the emigrants' boarding house in the streets all around Castle Garden, but it is the emigrant's fault if he suffers very badly, for a great many of these places are licensed, are reasonably well conducted, and are responsible for the manner in which they treat their guests.

But this is a very wicked city, and down about the Battery is a very wicked part of it, so that, even if an emigrant manages to get into a good house where he is not charged more than twice as much as he ought to be, he cannot safely venture a half a block away from his lodgings without being approached by some of the boldest and most plausible and most ingenious rascals in town, who make it a business to live upon these people. The best plan, after all, is for the emigrant not to leave Castle Garden at all, but follow the routine course of the majority of his fellow passengers, and start away by railroad, with his tickets looked after and his baggage carried free, on the afternoon of the day he lands.—Julian Ralph in Pittsburg Bulletin.

Wanted His Father to Know.

It was at Tonquin. The young Count de T——, who was serving as a private in a light infantry regiment, had his skull fractured by a bullet during an engagement with the Black Flags. He was taken up for dead, and removed to the ambulance.

"He won't recover," said the surgeon major; "one can see the brain." At this word the patient suddenly opened both his eyes.

"You can see my brain?" he asked. "I beseech you, major, write at once to apprise my father of the fact; he made me join the army because he pretended I had no brains."—San Francisco Argonaut.

Eupepsy.

This is what you ought to have, in fact you must have it, to fully enjoy life. Thousands are searching for it daily, and mourning because they find it not. Thousands upon thousands of dollars are spent annually by our people in the hope that they may attain this boon. And yet it may be had by all. We guarantee that Electric Bitters, if used according to directions, and the use persisted in, will bring you Good Digestion and oust the demon Dyspepsia and install instead Eupepsy. We recommend Electric Bitters for Dyspepsia and all other diseases of Liver, Stomach and Kidneys. Sold at 50c and $1.00 per bottle at Dr. A. J. Stoner's drug store. dm

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may14-dtf

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TELEPHONE 100 for the D. A. Maffit crystal ice, delivered promptly to any part of the city at ruling prices. Any orders left for Maffit ice at F. D. Caldwell's office will receive immediate attention. His telephone number is 26.
may4-dtf

STOP at the Willis Hotel, 241 N. Water street. Accommodations good and rooms first class. Meals 25 cents, lodging 25 cents. Please give me a call. E. E. WILLIS, proprietor. oct6-dtf

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jan3d&wtf LINN & SCRUGGS.

WOOD PUMPS, Chain Pumps, Iron Force Pumps, for sale at Spencer & Lehman's feb 16-d&wtf

COATES' Spool Cotton 47c per dozen, at
my21-dtf LINN & SCRUGGS.

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FOUND.—At the ball park last night, a piece of a watch chain which the loser can have by calling on REA C. RINGLAND and proving property. 6 dc*

PASTURE LAND. 80 acres good bluegrass and clover pasture with neverfailing water, for rent by JOHN A. BROWN. 3 d&w1w

FOR SALE. City Hotel, corner of Church and West Main streets, good location; can be bought at a bargain, if taken soon. House contains 16 rooms, corner lot, 52 feet on Main and 100 feet on Church street. Apply to either JOHNSON & KNIGHT, 158 Merchant street, or MRS. B. P. RYDER, 1460 North Church street.
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WANTED.—A place to work in a private family, by a colored girl of experience. Inquire at 818 Spring Avenue. june1 dc*

CHICAGO TAILOR SHOP—First class work and good fits guaranteed; clothing dyed, cleaned and repaired; cast off clothing bought and taken on payment of new work.
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may21-d&w1mo

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BARRETT, at 704 N. Church Street, will repair your house, fence, build your porch, or do anything in the line of carpentering. Good work at all times with promptness. nov15-dtf

WANTED—You are wanted to call and buy Second-hand Cooking and Heating Stoves. A large assortment at low prices. HARRY FISK, Court House Block. oct24-dtf

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WANTED—Agents at the "Unitunitulted" Art Studio. $25.00 per week and expenses paid to the right party. Call or address "Unitunitulted" Art Studio Decatur, Ill. mar30-d&wtf

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SATURDAY EVE., JUNE 8, 1889.

IT is reported that both Tom Reed and Major McKinley are confident of capturing the speakership, while Joe Cannon lays back upon his record and points with pride to the fact that he has been getting about whatever he has desired for the past three months, and he has been in no sense modest in his desires, either. If scalps count for anything can he not show a longer and more distinguished string than anybody else? If appointments are to be counted as stars in his crown of rejoicing, does he not wear a more glittering band on his manly brow than any other member of Congress can display? And all this in addition to his merits which are conceded by all. The average American congressman is a good deal like the average American who does the voting every two years. He likes a fellow who always gets there, and Joe Cannon possesses that faculty in an eminent degree, as even Senators Cullom and Farwell will not hesitate to confess.

"THE Democrats have all got to get together," is the sensible advice of that eminent Democrat, Mr. Samuel J. Randall. It is no matter that Mr. Randall himself is looked upon by a large section of the party as "no better than a Republican," the Democrats have got to get together. Mr. Henry Watterson claims that Charles A. Dana is nothing but a vandal, but, no odds, "the Democrats have all got to get together." General John M. Palmer and Bill Morrison are slashing away at each other's throats in Illinois, and the triumph of one is the death knell of the other, but they've "got to get together." Mr. Grover Cleveland and Mr. David Bennett Hill are each feeling for the jugular vein of the other, and nothing would please either any better than the opportunity to get the drop on the other, but Sam Randall says they must get together, and not in a pugilistic sense, either. Tammany braves thirst for the life blood of the County Democracy, but Sam Randall says they must bury the hatchet and "get together," kiss and make up. And they'll come as near doing it as ever did hungry mortals, for they are all in a mood to listen to Sam now. They're out of meat.

Experts on Mattoon Gas.

Yesterday afternoon J. H. Hervey and H. Mandell, of Findley, Ohio, were in the city at the request of the parties interested in the natural gas well, and were taken out to Matthew Wilson's place and to other points on the ridge south of the city where gas has been discovered. The gentlemen, who are experts in the matter and proprietors of several gas and oil wells, were greatly surprised at the surface indications and pronounced the gas the same as discovered in Pennsylvania and New York. Mr. Wilson's well they said was the largest small well they ever saw. The gas is not that which comes from the Trenton rock, but has its origin in the Niagara sandstone, which is much nearer the surface than the Trenton rock. Altogether, the visitors were delighted with our gas pool and urged the citizens to go ahead and organize the company.—*Mattoon Gazette.*

THE CHURCHES TO-MORROW.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Preaching by Rev. Dr. D. C. Marquis, of Chicago, morning and evening. Sunday school at 2 p. m. Mission Sunday school, 2 p. m., corner of N. College and Packard Sts.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

Preaching by Rev. W. H. Prentiss at 10:30 a. m. Children's meeting at 7:30 p. m. To-morrow is "children's day" in this church. Sunday school at 2 p. m. All are cordially invited.

M. E. CENTENARY CHAPEL.

458 North Broadway St. Services at 10:30 a. m., and at 7:45 p. m. Class meeting at 9:30 a. m. Sabbath school at 2 p. m. J. W. Boggess, pastor.

ST. PETER'S CHAPEL (CATHOLIC).

C. H. Sheen, pastor. Preaching at 10:30 a. m., and at 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 2:30 p. m., J. W. Woodford, supt. Morning subject, "Home Influence," evening, "Timothy's Early Training."

A special programme will be rendered at the Sunday School.

CHURCH OF GOD.

There will be no services at the church except Sunday school at 3 o'clock.

STAPP'S CHAPEL M. E. CHURCH.

Class at 9 a. m. Sermon to the children at 10:30 a. m., and a special program by the Sunday school at 7:30 p. m. Sunday School at 2 p. m. Mission Sunday school, corner of North Broadway and Herkimer streets, at 9 a. m. All are cordially invited.

BAPTIST CHURCH.

Rev. Dr. Geo. E. Vosburgh, pastor. Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. The morning service will be by the Sunday school in the regular observance of children's day. Evening: "David's Vigil; or, The Royal Penitent," the fifth lecture in the series on "Eventful Nights in Hebrew History." The public is cordially invited.

CONGREGATIONAL.

Children's Day. Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. At the hour of the morning service special exercises will be given by the Sabbath school. In the evening preaching by the pastor, Rev. W. C. Miller. At the evening service a collection will be taken for the benefit of the Johnstown sufferers. Sunday school at 9:15 a. m. Young people's meeting at 6:15 p. m. You are cordially invited to these services.

FIRST M. E. CHURCH.

Children's Day. Class at 9 a. m. Sermon to children by the pastor at 10:30 a. m. Sabbath school at 2 p. m. Concert exercises at at 7:30 p. m. Birds, flowers and music.

W. C. T. U.

Gospel temperance meeting at their rooms to-morrow afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. Subject, Flower Mission Work. Selections will be read by members of the Y. W. C. T. U. All cordially invited.

Farewell Party.

Miss Emma Weigand entertained a large number of friends last evening in honor of Miss Sallie Clark, who has been her guest for the past week. There were about 15 couples present and the evening was very enjoyably spent in social converse and parlor games. Elegant refreshments were served, and at 12 o'clock the good nights were spoken, all assuring Miss Emma it was an evening that would long be remembered by them. It was a "good-bye" party for Miss Clark.

DR. RICHARD EDWARDS has appointed John D. Benedict, of Danville, assistant superintendent of education, vice Freeman, resigned. The salary is $2500 a year. Mr. Benedict has formally accepted. The appointment was entirely unsolicited on his part, and also entirely unexpected. He will remove his family to [illegible]

A PARTING CURSE.

An Epidemic of Diphtheria Feared in the Conemaugh Valley.

The Red Cross Open a Hospital at Kernville, with Numerous Patients.

Death Roll of the Guests and Employes of the Hulburt House of Johnstown.

The Work of the Flood in the Bald Eagle Valley—Over a Million Dollars' Damage at Bellefonte.

A Parting Curse.

JOHNSTOWN, Pa., June 8.—It is feared at the Red Cross Corps headquarters that the flood has left a parting curse hovering over the Conemaugh Valley in the form of the dread disease diphtheria. The attention of the medical people was directed to Kernville, where the Red Cross makes no secret of a prevailing epidemic. Miss Clara Barton and Dr. O'Neill, of the Red Cross, decided yesterday to establish a hospital at Kernville, and after much trouble with the local authorities, secured a site and erected their hospital tents, with Dr. Bernus, of Philadelphia, in charge. This morning they are prepared to receive the patients, of which there is a large number.

Death Roll of the Hulburt House—The Survivors.

JOHNSTOWN, Pa., June 8.—The register and safe of the Hulburt House were taken out of the ruins latest yesterday. The following is the entire list of dead and the survivors of the ill-fated hotel. The dead are:

Mrs. E. E. Benford, Johnstown.
Miss Maria Benford.
Miss May Benford.
Lou Benford.
Mrs. Katzenstein and child.
Mrs. Smith and three children.
Miss Homer.
Mrs. Dr. DeFrance.
Miss Laura Hamilton.
Miss Ella Byrne.
Jane Maloy,
Minnie Houston.
Mary Rodgers.
Ella Harrigan.
Bertha Stothel.
Lottie Yost.
Jennie Smouse.
Ella Johnston.
Charles Wilson, clerk.
William Henry.
J. C. Clark
Nellie Clark.
Dr. Brinkey.
Ellor Brinkey.
— — Butler.
Charles Marshall.
John Byrnes.
Albert Wherry.
J. W. Weakland.
Dr. St. John, Harrisburg.
Carrie Richard, Ypsilanti, Mich.
Mollie Richard, Ypsilanti, Mich.
Jennie Wells, Tioga, Pa.
Miss Diehl, Shippensburg, Pa.
J. H. Cox, Philadelphia.
W. L. Spitts, Philadelphia.
Carlin, Philadelphia.
J. H. Little, Pittsburgh.
Sidney McCloud, Chicago.
Frank D. Felt, Chicago.
W. F. Down, New York.
James Murray, Philadelphia.
Charles Dewalt, Altoona.
Horton, Pittsburgh.

The survivors, whose names are on the same register, are

John D. Dorsey, Philadelphia; in a critical condition.
Hartley and H. W. Gulager, Philadelphia.
B. H. Love, Pittsburgh.
Mary Early, Johnstown.
J. L. Stith.
William Marshall.
Laura Rodgers.
Maggie Jones.
Walter Banford.
C. A. Benford.
Elvira Procter.

Several bodies have been taken to the Fourth ward School house morgue. Those identified are

Geo. Robb.
Wolfgang Fisher.
Mrs. Kirkbride.
Linda Kirkbride.
Wm. Nerberger.
Alex. Montgomery.

Eight bodies were removed from the morgue in the Second Presbyterian Church yesterday. Three of them were identified as Mrs. Elizabeth Stroyer, Henry Backer and August Ebler.

The remains of Wm. Bantlin, Edith Shoemaker and Mrs. Rev. Lilorburg were recovered at Kernville yesterday.

The Flood in the Bald Eagle Valley.

BELLEFONTE, Pa., June 8.—The damage in this city is very slight, but in the Bald Eagle Valley $500,000 will not cover the damage done. The Bald Eagle Valley railroad was washed out more than half its length, but has since been temporarily repaired, and trains are now running into Bellefonte over that road.

In Milesburg the water filled the houses to a depth of from three to six feet, and great damage was done. No lives were lost, however.

In Pennsvalley out along the line of the Bellefonte, Nittany & Lemont railroad the worst damage in the county was done.

At Coburn the waters reached their worst. It spread over the entire town, and in some places, by actual measurement, was thirty feet deep. There were drowned there a Mrs. Simon Fhonst and two children, and had it not been for prompt assistance, scores would have perished. Simon Fhonst was in Cameron County at the time. When notified of the fate of his family, he started for home and fell into the flood and was drowned; thus the whole family perished.

In Coburn there is not one good house left standing. The total loss will aggregate fully $500,000. The valley is strewn with bodies of all kinds of animals.

An Extra Session of the Pennsylvania State Legislature Imperatively Demanded.

JOHNSTOWN, Pa., June 8.—Governor Beaver will call a special session of the Legislature, so it was said last night. Adjutant-General D. H. Hastings sent a telegram to the Governor at Harrisburg declaring that an extra session of the Legislature for the purpose of making an appropriation of two million dollars for the relief of the people of Johnstown was important. General Hastings was at the wire early last evening, and had a long and earnest talk with the Governor. He told him that in his judgment a special session of the Legislature should be called at once. He said he had carefully gone over the situation and had sought the opinions of others. He was extremely anxious to know how the contributions were coming in, and said that it would be necessary to make heavy daily drafts on whatever amount might be raised outside in order to keep the work going on. He said if the contributions reached a million it would take that amount to clean out the city debris and pay the people of Johnstown and the men who were employed from outside. In addition, he thought the State should give two million dollars. General Hastings told the Governor that if he thought his (Hastings') judgment too high, he would be glad if Governor Beaver would come to Johnstown for a day or two and look it over. After the talk over the wire with Governor Beaver, General Hastings said:

"The work that is going on now so nicely can not last longer than a week or so, at the outside, unless the money for conducting it on a permanent basis is furnished, either by the State or the people of the United States."

It was stated on almost undoubted authority late last night that Governor Beaver had decided to call an extra session of the State Legislature.

Adjournment of the Coroner's Jury.

JOHNSTOWN, Pa., June 8.—Coroner Evans' jury, empaneled on the case of Mrs. Hite, of Johnstown, to endeavor to fix the responsibility for the awful disaster caused by the breaking of the dam, held another session in Kernville yesterday, and adjourned to next Wednesday. At the next session testimony as to the safety of the South Fork dam and the culpability of the proprietors will be taken.

The Flood at Bellefonte.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., June 8.—A private telegram received here from Bellefonte, Pa., about sixty miles east of Johnstown, says: "First communication with outside world. Over a million dollars damage by storm in this county. A large number of lives have been lost."

A Growing Fund.

WASHINGTON, June 7.—The contributions to the Johnstown flood-sufferers' fund now aggregates $32,925.

Another Dam Disaster Threatened.

CUBA, N. Y., June 8, 2 A. M.—The reservoir at this place is leaking, and the water is being drawn off through outlets to prevent a break in the dam.

THE CRONIN 'QUEST.

Important Witnesses Fail to Put in an Appearance.

Other Witnesses with Defective Memories—Luke Dillon Talks Right Out.

CHICAGO, June 8.—Detective Mike Whalen was the first witness called in the Cronin inquest yesterday, but he failed to respond. Peter McGeoghan, the Philadelphia suspect, was then called, and failing to appear an order was issued for his arrest. Both Whalen and McGeoghan were present, however, when the inquest was adjourned for the day, having quietly passed in a short time before, no one appearing to know how they got there.

The first witness of the day was Police Officer Daniel Brown, who was Dr. Cronin's accuser in the trial in Camp No. 96, which resulted in the doctor's expulsion from the order. Brown testified that he was a member of the Clan-na-Gael at the time Dr. Cronin was expelled. He belonged to Camp No. 16, and does still, but has not attended in the three years past. The charge against Dr. Cronin was treason, and consisted in reading before Camp No. 96 a circular sent out by an expelled camp. The witness said he preferred and wrote out the charges himself. He had an emphatic negative answer for every question intimating that some one else asked, ordered or directed him to make the charges. He was positive in assuming the whole responsibility for making the charges. He was not an officer in the camp, and did not hear Dr. Cronin read the circular, but visiting Dr. Cronin's camp soon after it was read he heard it talked about, and knowing that the reading of such a circular was contrary to the rules of the order, he preferred the charges.

Lawyer Hest was the next witness, and said that in the summer of 1887 Dr. Cronin had consulted with him professionally, and had told him that he had evidence that a conspiracy against him existed in this city. William Starkey had asked him to testify as an expert in a certain case, and C. M. Hardy had cross-examined him with great minuteness as to his early life. About the same time Cronin's sister had written her brother from St. Catherines, stating that two men had called on her recently and questioned her in regard to him, saying that it concerned Cronin greatly in a case in New York. Cronin wrote to New York and found that no such case existed. "At last," continued witness, "the doctor jumped up and exclaimed: 'Alexander Sullivan is as black as hell. He and others are trying to ruin my reputation, and failing in that, they will seek my life.'"

Luke Dillon, of Philadelphia, was the first witness after recess. He knew Dr. Cronin intimately as an unselfish, patriotic and useful man in the Irish movement. Dr. Cronin had told him that it was Alexander Sullivan's ambition to rule both in Irish and American politics, and that this ambition would be the cause of Dr. Cronin's death. Dr. Cronin had expressed himself as believing that Alexander Sullivan had no more blood in him than a fish. The witness thought at that time that the doctor had Alexander Sullivan on the brain and that Sullivan was only an ordinary villain. He had changed his mind, however. At the time that Alexander Sullivan, Boland and Feely were tried in Buffalo, Sullivan had protested against Dr. Cronin sitting on the trial committee in such language that he believed Alexander Sullivan responsible for the murder, if not a principal in it.

The remainder of the session was given to the testimony of John F. O'Malley and Lawrence B. Buckley, who were members of the committee that tried and expelled Dr. Cronin. Their testimony elicited no new facts, being confined to such details concerning the composition of the committee and its action as they chose to remember.

Run Down on a Hand-Car and Killed.

ALBUQUERQUE, N. M., June 8.—A Santa Fe work train ran into Section Foreman Smith's hand-car, one mile above this city, killing the foreman outright and probably fatally injuring one of the crew.

SMOLDERING RUINS.

Further Particulars of the Burning of the City of Seattle.

The Early Reports of the Wholesale Destruction of Property Fully Confirmed.

The Losses Variously Estimated at from Fifteen Hundred Thousand to Four Millions.

SEATTLE, W. T., June 7.—What was the business part of this city is this morning nothing but smouldering ruins and debris. Fire broke out yesterday afternoon in the basement of a two-story frame building on the southwest corner of Front and Madison streets, owned by Mrs. Margaret J. Pentz. The fire originated in some turpentine, which caught fire in some way. The first story, which was leased by the Seattle Shoe Company, the upper floor being occupied for offices, was soon ablaze. Although the volunteer fire department responded promptly to the alarm they could do little or nothing to check the flames. The building, like most others of its kind in the business center, was not detached, but was the corner of a row of frame buildings all joined together and of various heights. They were dry as tinder, and proved an easy prey to the flames. Adjoining the first building was Dietz & Myers' wholesale liquor store. The barrels of liquor exploded with terrific reports as soon as the fire reached them and scattered the contents far and near.

The entire square composing the Denny Block, in which was a confectionery store, Gilmore & Co.'s real estate office and several other establishments, including a number of professional offices and some lodging-apartments, were soon destroyed. An effort was made to flood the Coleman building on Front street to the south, but to no avail. The flames spread across Marion street to the Palace and Opera-house saloon. In less than half an hour another square was laid in ashes. This took in A. S. Smith's grocery, Merchants' wholesale confectionery, a fruit store, J. W. Lang & Co.'s drug-store, John Spencer's plumbing and steam-fitting establishment, R. J. Graham's tailor-shop, Edgar Brkyan's pawn-shop, the Palace restaurant, Gering & O'Connell's jewelry-store, Sonster's barber-shop, Lesly's clothing-store and Dobells & Marcon's clothing-store. While this square was burning the Opera-House block, on the east side of Front street, between Madison and Marion, caught fire in the upper story. The building, a three-story brick structure, owned by Geo. Frye, and valued at $120,000, was soon destroyed. With it was the Seattle Pharmacy, Golden Rule bazaar, Harris & Co.'s dry-goods store, Abernathy's shoe-store, Crouse & Co.'s undertaker's establishment, Latour's dry-goods house, Broadman's paint and oil house. The Kenyon block is also reduced to ashes. In this block was the job-printing establishment of the Evening Times, Veuon & Vaughn's music store and Earle's tailor shop. From the Opera-House block the fire spread and quickly swallowed up the square to the south. This square consisted of two-story frame buildings occupied by E. Lobe's bazaar, the California clothing store, Gordon Bros.' tailoring establishment, the Oriental bazaar and several other big concerns.

The fire department struggled bravely to save the most valuable part of Front street between Columbia and Yesler streets, which contained a fine row of brick buildings two and three stories high, where four banks had their offices—the Bank of Commerce, Merchants' National, First National and the Washington Guarantee and Loan Association and Savings Bank. The row consisted of a corner block occupied by Toklas, Singerman & Co.'s wholesale dry-goods store, the Union block, the Parin building, the San Francisco clothing house, Star block, Arende building and Yesler block on Central square. In Central square all the telegraph offices were situated. The Safe-Deposit Company also had a building in this row.

From initial points the fire spread north and south a distance of one mile. Every newspaper, hotel, telegraph office, railroad depot and wharf in the city was totally destroyed. The entire waterfront, including all wharves and docks, coal-bunkers and railway tracks, the wholesale quarter and every thing south of Union street and west of Second street, and reaching around to the gas-works and above Fourth street on Jackson, was completely burned. It is estimated that the total loss to the city in buildings alone is easily $10,000,000 and the personal losses will probably reach $20,000,000. Whether there is much loss of life can not yet be ascertained. There is great privation among the poor, as nearly every restaurant and grocery in the city was consumed by the fire. The burnt district, comprising sixty-four acres, now presents the aspect of a huge oven of burning coals, and threatens even further destruction. The firemen, reinforced by Tacoma and Snohomish, are on the alert. The streets all through the night were crowded with people, wandering about penniless and homeless. The militia and extra police are to be seen on every corner guarding the property against thieves and vandals. One hundred arrests have already been made. All of the daily newspapers will publish to-morrow.

Words fail to describe the awful picture of the fire and desolation. It is like the Chicago fire, and like Chicago, will be rebuilt. Every body seems in good spirits as it is hard to realize the dreadfulness of this sudden calamity. When the Toklas Singermans & Co's building fell, about thirty people were near it and many of them were crushed. Similar accidents befell most of the large buildings.

Will Rebuild with Brick and Stone.

PORTLAND, Ore., June 8.—Late reports from Seattle indicate that the total loss by the fire will reach anywhere from $1,500,000 to $4,000,000. The people decided at a meeting yesterday morning to rebuild the city with brick and stone. The military are guarding what property was not burned. The city is quiet and every-body is hopeful. The Governor has issued a proclamation appealing to the people of the Territory to send aid for the sufferers by the fire.

Tacoma citizens sent to Seattle yesterday morning large quantities of food, blankets and tents to supply the immediate wants of the homeless, and large quantities of supplies have also been sent from Portland.

WHO NEXT?

The Question of the Papal Succession Attracting Timely Consideration.

Archbishop Gibbons, of Baltimore, Md., Believed to Hold the Winning Hand.

NEW YORK, June 8.—The Times yesterday morning printed the following, under date of Rome, June 6:

Who will be the next Pope? That is the question which all Europe is now considering. There is really no sovereign in the world whose acts are of the international character of the Pope's, and the death of Leo XIII. to-morrow would attract the attention of Americans more than any event that has occurred within the memory of the present generation. Why? Well, it is more than possible that European jealousies, no less than the present situation of the Vatican, would indicate the election of the American Cardinal, Archbishop Gibbons, of Baltimore, to the Chair of Peter. That is the concensus of opinion here, and the reasons advanced are lucidly condensed by a Roman prelate, whose position prevents the publication of his name—which I send you in confidence as a guarantee of the authority which brings the United States into such prominence in the old world's affairs. The Pope is not very strong, and reliable reports state that his wiry frame can not much longer endure the strain of his age and cares.

"Take a glance at the situation in Europe to-day," said my Roman informant, "and mark it well. Germany is opposed to all things French; France to all things German. Under the concordat, France has the privilege to protest against the election of certain candidates. The privilege is rarely exercised, and the Cardinals are not bound to obey it; but under present circumstances, when every force must be utilized in the struggle for the restoration of temporal power, it would be obeyed. Germany's candidates rejected, policy would compel the Cardinals to ignore France's claims, for Germany can not be offended. Cardinal Howard is afflicted with mental troubles, and the other English Cardinals are placed beyond consideration by their age—Newman being eighty-eight and infirm, and Manning eighty-one."

"But there are the Italian Cardinals?"

"Of course; but do you not know that they are old men—at least all the Cardinals whose lives and labors single them out for consideration! Simeoni, Parocchi, Schiaffino, Rampolla, Sanfelice and Vanutteli are the only Italian Cardinals whose names suggest Papal honors. But if you review the history of each you will find that as Nuncios to France or Germany they have earned the mistrust of either country, on account of past official relations, Cardinal Sanfelice alone excepted. But he, too, is out of the question."

"Would any government object to him?" asked the correspondent, wondering where the difficulties were going to end.

"Well, to tell you the truth, there never before was a time when Italian Cardinals were ineligible from political circumstances. France has to-day nine cardinals in the Sacred College, a very unusual number, caused by the fact that in addition to the prelates selected by the Pope the French Government insisted on the elevation of Mgr. Fonlon, a rich Bishop of Lyons. This gives you an idea of the importance attached to the next conclave, and a further illustration is to be had in the official announcement that President Carnot will receive the berettas from the Pope, and in person present them to the three new French Cardinals."

"But what has this to do with the opposition to an Italian candidate?" was the query.

The Prelate smiled, evidently amused at what he thought an American's lack of perception.

"Well," was the answer, "France and Italy cross. The statements just made show that the French Cardinals will go into the conclave as Frenchmen and to oppose any action that might be objectionable to France and consequently prejudicial to the interests of the Holy See. Through treaty with the Emperor of China, the Vatican enjoys a protectorate in the East. This formerly belonged to France and carries with it vast commercial privileges. Is it surprising that France fears a transfer of this to Italy among other considerations, in return for the restoration of temporal power? France still enjoys the privileges, and this is only one instance where complications might arise."

"And this leads you to believe that the only compromise is an American Cardinal, Gibbons for instance?"

"Exactly; and I predict that under his administration the Roman question would be settled. The European governments are considerably perturbed over the possibilities of the conclave, and would certainly unite in offering inducements to Italy to grant a certain territory to the Pope, in which he would be a sovereign, perfectly free and independent, untrammeled by allegiance to any one government. There is none with whom negotiations could be carried on better than with a citizen of the great Republic of the West."

Katrina Wins Again.

NEW YORK, June 8.—The Katrina again beat the Shamrock yesterday.

The Wherefore and the Why.

The people have long known that Ferriss & Lapham sell boots and shoes for less money than any others in the business. The reason is not far to seek. The great Chicago wholesale firm of L. L. Ferriss & Co. buys and sells more shoes in one year than all the dealers in Decatur can handle in ten. It stands to reason that such big buyers have tremendous advantages and buy at first hands. If Ferriss & Co. bought of the very jobbers who supply the Decatur houses, their large purchases would give them goods at a much lower figure. But the fact is that Ferriss & Co. buy at first hands from the manufactures. No middleman's profits to pay at Ferriss & Lapham's. That is the why and the wherefore of the unapproachable low prices at Ferriss & Lapham's No. 148 East Main street, Decatur, Ill. 8-dtf

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BASE BALL.

Games Played Friday, June 7.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Chicago—Chicago-Indianapolis.—Rain.
Philadelphia—Philadelphias, 14; Washingtons, 6.
Cleveland—Cleveland-Pittsburgh.—Rain.
Boston—Bostons, 9; New Yorks, 4.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

Philadelphia—Athletics, 9; Louisvilles, 2.
Columbus—St. Louis-Columbus.—Rain.

Games To-Day.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

New Yorks at Boston, Indianapolis at Chicago, Washingtons at Philadelphia, Pittsburghs at Cleveland.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

St. Louis at Baltimore, Louisvilles at Brooklyn, Cincinnatis at Columbus, Kansas Citys at Philadelphia.

The Inevitable Happens at Last.

AUBURN, N. Y., June 8.—E. D. Hogan, the aeronaut of Jackson, Mich., had a narrow escape from death yesterday, owing to his parachute failing to work. He fell 2,500 feet when the parachute partially opened and somewhat broke the fall. He was badly injured.

Flight of a Forger.

HALIFAX, N. S., June 8.—Steward Smith, of Her Majesty's ship Comus, fled Wednesday, being guilty of forgery and embezzlement in connection with his vessels accounts. He has been arrested at Boston.

Shot and Killed.

NEW ORLEANS, June 8.—Last night in West Lake Charles, Gus Black shot and killed R. W. Perkins, son of a prominent lumber man. Black fled and is being pursued by a large posse.

"Now You See It, and Now You Don't."

HARTFORD, Conn., June 8.—Governor Bulkeley vetoed the Secret Ballot bill yesterday, and the House passed the bill over the veto, but afterward reconsidered the vote and tabled the bill.

"MY daughter was greatly troubled with Scrofula, and, at one time, it was feared she would lose her sight. Ayer's Sarsaparilla has completely restored her health, and her eyes are as well as ever, with not a trace of scrofula in her system." O. King, Killingly, Conn.

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The Great Eastern.

This tent Show will exhibit on the Wabash lot near the depot, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, June 10, 11 and 12, afternoon and night; admission 10 cents. Many novelties will be introduced in gymnastic performances. 7-d3t.

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No. 8 " " " 1.25 85c.
No. 9 " " " 1.50 98c.
3-qt. Iron Kettle, white lined, worth 50c, at 28c.
4-qt. Iron Kettle, white lined, worth 60c, at 38c.
4-quart Tea Kettles, 28c.
500 cakes of Santa Claus Soap, 4c.
400 doz. Steel Carpet Tacks, 15c a dozen.
Knives and Forks at 48c per set.
Chinese Laundry Soap at 1c per cake.
Revolving Flour Sifter, 10c.
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Daily Bread flour	2.70	" "
Matchless flour	2.60	" "
Clipper flour	2.10	" "
Corn flour	2.10	" "
Pearl meal and grits	1.20	" "
Cream meal	1.10	" "
Bran and hominy chop	60c	" "
Shorts	70c	" "
Corn, oats and rye chop	90c	" "
Ear and shelled corn	35c	per bu
Oats	30c	" "

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Excursion Rates.

The annual meeting of the German Baptists (Dunkards) will be held at Harrisonburg, Virginia, and from May 28th to June 10th the Wabash will sell round trip tickets at $19.45. The tickets will be good returning up to July 5th.

From June 3 to 11 inclusive the Wabash will sell round trip tickets to Pittsburg, Ohio, for $7.00, to enable persons to attend the annual meeting of Dunkards at that point. Tickets will be good returning until June 22. For further particulars concerning these rates and tickets call on the Wabash ticket agents at the Union depot.

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WATCH CLUBS.

While watches have, in times past, been considered a luxury, in these days they have become practically a necessity. To provide a good watch is sometimes inconvenient if the whole amount of its value is required at once. To make it possible for every man, woman and youth to supply themselves with a good watch, we propose offering them on what is known as the Club Plan. This plan has been in successful operation in many of the larger cities for several years, and has become very popular as absolute satisfaction is guaranteed.

ITS ADVANTAGES.

First. By paying one dollar per week, the easiest possible method is offered to secure a watch.

Second. The watches being purchased in large quantities from the makers and sold directly to the consumer, a large profit is saved to the members of the club.

The principle upon which the goods are sold is an equitable one, as the members of the Club are practically a syndicate for the purchase of watches in large quantities at the lowest prices, and thus directly benefitting its members.

These Clubs are starting under our management which is a sufficient guarantee that the business will be conducted honestly, and that no goods will be sold except those of the very highest quality.

We shall run two Clubs. The first of which will be for thirty-five weeks. Each member joining this club will pay one dollar per week for the full Club term, and each week one member will draw a watch. The gentlemen's watch in this Club is to be a 14 K., filled case, either hunting or open face, richly engraved, warranted to wear for twenty years, with a certificate from the Crescent Watch Case Co., as to its quality, and A FULL JEWELED NICKEL MOVEMENT OF EITHER ELGIN OR WALTHAM MAKE. The ladies' watches are of solid 14 K., gold, tasteful designs, with Elgin movements fully guaranteed.

We propose to offer in the second Club a higher grade watch for gentlemen, with a solid 14 K., elegantly decorated case, and a fine full jeweled nickel Waltham or Elgin movement. This Club will run for fifty-two weeks, each member paying one dollar per week. Ladies' watches in this Club will be equal in value to those for gentlemen, and can be furnished with ornamental diamond cases. In this Club, as in the other, one watch will be drawn each week.

We wish it distinctly understood that this plan has no element of chance in it as every member is sure to get his watch during the Club term. If after partial payment has been made any member desires to pay the remaining amount in full, without waiting for his number to be drawn, he can have his watch at once.

In answer to any of our friends who may think well of this plan, but who have now a satisfactory watch, would say, that we will furnish diamonds, silverware, or anything in our line upon the same plan.

READ CAREFULLY THE EXPLANATION OF THE WATCH CLUB PLAN.

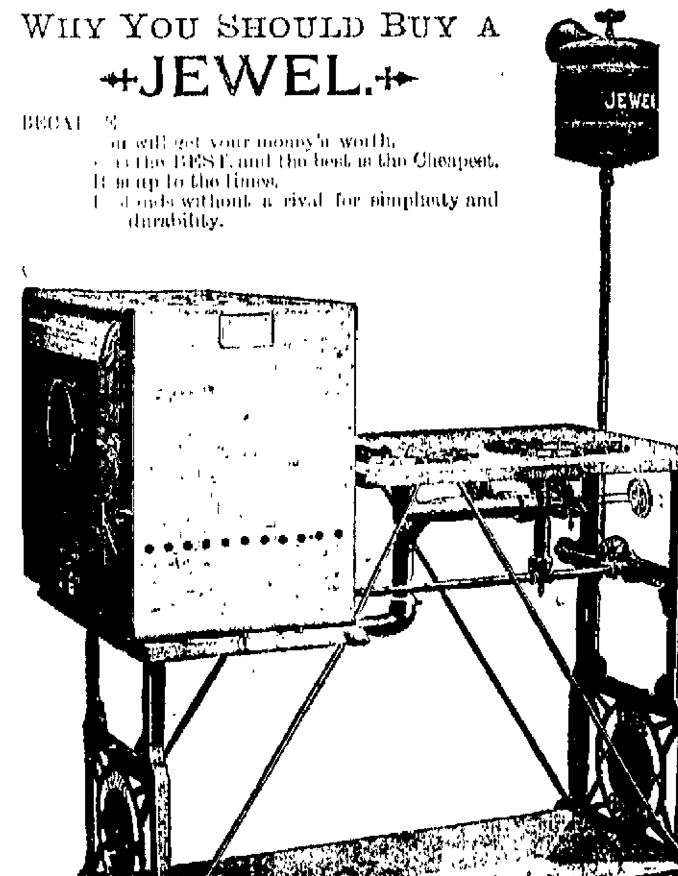
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LOCAL NEWS.

You will find the largest assortment of *Baby Carriages* in the city, at E. D. BARTHOLOMEW & Co.'s.

NEW Toilet Powders at Irwin's pharmacy.

"CHILDREN'S DAY" with flowers and songs and recitations at the Baptist church to-morrow morning.

TELEPHONE Niedermeyer and get fine berries and choice groceries.

THE Decatur ball club left for Bloomington this afternoon to play on Sunday. They go to Champaign Monday.

THE GREATEST, THE BEST—The new City Directory for 1889. 8-d2

SELECT family groceries to suit you at J. Lytle & Co.'s store, choice berries and Vienna bread.

Two small boys named Charles Morris and George Roberts were picked up last evening by Marshal Mason for petty thieving, and both were put in jail and kept there until 10 o'clock last night. The stolen articles were recovered.

THE largest, the finest and best ever issued in Decatur will be the New Directory for 1889. 8-d2

IN the county court to-day Cyrus Zollars, aged 53, whose home is near Macon, was adjudged insane; cause unknown; duration 15 years.

FOR SALE, cheap, 12-horse power traction engine. Inquire at Union Iron Works. 8-d1w3

THE Decatur and Maroa Knights of Pythias, forming Decatur Division, Uniform Rank, will leave for Peoria Tuesday morning on a special train, to be gone three days, to attend the State encampment of the Illinois Brigade. The fare will be $2.35 for the round trip.

ORDER White Foam family flour. It is first-class.

IT will pay you to interview C. B. Prescott, the opera block music dealer. He is offering special bargains in Haines and Everett pianos.

YESTERDAY the president of the Decatur Humane Society had a carriage team, that had not been fed for nearly 48 hours, stopped in the street and taken to a livery stable to be fed. This is the first enforcement of the humane law in Decatur by the society.

CALL on Hanks & Patterson at 143 South Water street for everything wanted for the table. Berries a specialty.

WM. METCALF, who was an associate of Dr. Lighthouse when in the city, is now under the supervision of Dr. A. W. Bunce, and his experience in the line of Indian practice enables him to read diseases at sight and apply the proper remedies. Office at No. 321 East Main st.

SUPPLIES for the table in great variety at Moore Bros.' grocery store, opera block. Prompt delivery.

IT is reported at Springfield that Dr. J. H. Rauch will soon wed Miss Gillett, daughter of the late John D. Gillett, and sister of Mrs. Oglesby, Mrs. D. T. Littler and Mrs. J. G. Hill. But Dr. Rauch says the story is all moonshine, and he ought to know.

Hear This.

These suggestive notes are found in Friday's Danville *News*:

"If Al. Morgan takes hold of the Decatur club, it will not be expelled. Otherwise it will.

"Danville failed to get its guarantee at Decatur Tuesday and that city is liable to expulsion from the league."

What are we to infer from such blasts as the above? What's the matter with Decatur?

THE Decatur Christian Endeavor Union will hold a business meeting in the lecture room of the First M. E. church, at the close of the regular Monday night prayer meetings. All members of the Union are urged to remember this. Mary E. Towis Pres; Virginia H. Order, Secy. 7-3d

Why They Were Not Here.

The following letter explains itself:

EDITORS REPUBLICAN: In your report of the band contest held in your city on Wednesday last, you say "that no reason was assigned for the non appearance of the Jacksonville Juvenile Band." Will you kindly state in your valuable columns that the Juvenile Band *was not entered in the contest*. That is sufficient reason, I believe. The R. R. expenses were so great from here to your city that we could not afford to come.

Yours, Resp'y, C. O. JEFFERIES.
JACKSONVILLE, ILL., June 7.

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Is our list so far, but while all have been good, the Directory for 1889 will be the largest, finest and most complete of all. 8-d2

A "Topic" Party.

A very delightful "Topic" party was given last evening at the home of Miss Gertie Wayne, 561 North Franklin street. It was the occasion of the birthdays of Misses Gertie Wayne and Grace Boyer. The evening was most enjoyably spent in cards, music and dancing. At a seasonable hour a fine supper was spread. Upon entering the house each lady was presented with a program of the dances and when the gentleman asked for a dance he was obliged to state the "topic," which he was to discuss with the lady for a period of five minutes.

Among those present were the following: Miss Eva Smith, of Lovington; Miss Lulu Pratt, of Blue Mound; Misses Jennie Leiby, Grace and Jessie Wilson, Mabel Smick, Ethel Wayne, Ruth McCoy, and Messrs. Will Parish, Walter and Will Wayne, Arthur McCoy, Clyde Boyer, Walter Smick and Chas. Kemper.

Acknowledgment.

At a called meeting of the St. John's Aid Society, it was *Resolved*, That the thanks of the society be tendered the ladies and gentlemen who so kindly assisted in rendering the opera, "A Trial by Jury," for the benefit of the New Church Fund; to Mr. West and his well-drilled Decatur Zouaves, who added so much to the entertainment; to Miss Morgan and the young ladies and gentlemen who so well took their part in "The Blind Girl of Castle Cuille."

By order, MRS. B. K. DURFEE, Pres't.
MRS. V. N. HOSTETLER, Sec.

ALUMNI REUNION AND BANQUET.

Close of the Celebration of Commencement Day—Music and Feasting.

A Night of Joy and Pleasure in a Rain Storm.

"To-day we face the boundary line
Which marks a vanished year,
While cherished friends of Auld Lang Syne
Clasp hands in greeting here!
And, too, the absent ones, we greet,
Through time and change and space,
All radiant skies above them bend!
All sunshine touch each face!"

The High School Class of '89 will have remembrances of Commencement Day other than their parchment diplomas and personal congratulations of relatives and friends. They will ever remember the day of dampness, the rumbling of the carriages, the gallantry of their escorts, the variations by President Westermann in his Alumni address, and most of all the reception, the banquet and the dancing.

12TH ALUMNI REUNION.

Despite the rain the Baptist church was filled last night to attend the 12th annual reunion of the Alumni Association, the front seats being reserved for the thirty graduates. The exercises opened with the "Nabocodonozor" overture by the Opera House Orchestra with Prof. Bull as director, followed by the invocation by Rev. M. M. Goodwin, of St. John's church. The Misses Cora and Bertha Whitmer gave a finely executed piano duet, "Polonaise," which was received with especial favor. Miss Fannie Ehrman, with piano and violin accompaniment by Miss Nell Shroeder and Leo Heilbrun, favored the audience with a vocal gem, "Non ti scar dar me," by *Robanni*. It was a pleasing operatic selection which displayed the surprising range and sweetness of Miss Ehrman's mezzo soprano voice, which is capable of the most difficult execution. In her vocalization she reached high A and sank to low A. Her effort was enthusiastically applauded. The accompaniment was perfect.

ADDRESS OF WELCOME.

Hans T. Westermann, president of the Alumni, and member of the class of '86, delivered the address of welcome. His original manner of delivery awakened general merriment and served as a diversion from the set way of talking to the new members of the association. Unfortunately Hans paid more attention to arranging for the banquet and consequently he had no time to become familiar with his address. However, he got through the ceremonial part of his duty gracefully and gave the graduates a warm greeting. He said in brief:

'Tis a pleasure and satisfaction to greet so many members of the Alumni Association this evening of our reunion. Last year the energetic and capable young lady who acted as president filled the office so creditably that it would be gross ingratitude not to mention her and tender her our sincere thanks. Fellow alumni, this excellent custom of annual reunion was not established to be discontinued. You must keep up the interest and enthusiasm necessary to success. It is the time when we welcome new graduates from the High School days into the sphere of active life and we should strive our utmost to make the occasion pleasant and enjoyable. We want them to recall with pleasure that evening which marks the end of their school life.

Class of '89, we extend to you a sincere and hearty welcome. We greet you as brothers and sisters of the Alumni Association. You have satisfactorily completed your High School work and have been awarded your diplomas. We receive you in our ranks with joy. May you always hereafter take as much pleasure in receiving other new-comers as we do this evening in welcoming you. Remember, henceforth your lives should be earnest and sincere. Your quiet, happy school days are passed. You enter upon a new phase of life. Each one must play his part, and let each strive to make his the noblest. To rise to the dignity of men is the highest end of social state. Let what you have gained be an impulse to something higher. No power in society, no hardship in your condition can keep you down in knowledge, power and virtue, except by your own consent. Do not be lulled to sleep by the flatteries you hear. You have many deficiencies to be remedied. The remedy lies in a faithful education of yourselves. Each one goes forth with ambitions and aims which serve as a stimulus and incentive to strive on. You will meet with disappointments and reverses, but do not allow yourselves to become discouraged; that is one of the great evils that we must all contend against. We must overcome it, or it will overcome us and rob us of our energy. Cultivate patience and perseverance. Our best wishes are with you in all you may undertake. We have sympathetic hearts to share your grief. Your callings in life will separate you far and wide, therefore was this excellent custom of annual reunions established to welcome in new members and meet and greet again our classmates.

Should you some day realize your hopes and ambitions, forget not the Decatur High School, where you received the foundation of your knowledge, nor the Alumni Association, into which you were so warmly received. You leave the guidance of teachers and are about to set sail on an unknown sea. The stern call of duty gives you courage; you are equipped for the stormy passage. In the years that are to come you will often look back with gratitude for the training you have had in the dear old school. Believe me, you will all be better men and women for it. Then let us look back to it with thankfulness for its bounty and its wealth of golden memories. * * *

THE RESPONSE.

Miss Alice Judson, for the class of '89, responded with a neat address, which was delivered in clear tones and was plainly heard. She said:

Mr. President and Members of the Alumni.

Were it possible, I should tender the thanks of the class of '89 for your welcome, in phraseology different from that which has been used so long. But, no matter what the language, the feeling which prompts it is ever the same, so, using the customary speech, "In behalf of the Class of '89," I thank you for the cordial welcome you have extended us. For many months we have looked forward to this evening, when we should take our places among you and say, with pride, "We are members of the Alumni."

I fully appreciate the high tribute which has been paid to a member of my own sex for her faithful and successful efforts in awakening a deeper interest in this time-honored occasion. We will profit by her example and keep the wheels turning which she has started, rather than clog them. It is unnecessary to tell you of the many pleasures and disappointments which we have had during our school days. You have gone before us and had similar experiences. Never can we forget those with whom our early school days were spent, and especially those who guided us. I believe I utter the sentiment of the entire class in saying, we shall ever remember with gratitude and affection the faithful teachers who labored patiently with us. And I am sure you will all agree that if the Class of '89 be taken as an example, the work of the teachers has not been in vain.

The new life upon which we enter and concerning which your president has so thoughtfully spoken, is a subject which comes close to all our hearts. That we have been preparing for the responsibilities and duties of life, we may be able to prove to you when we reach the banquet hall this evening. There we will show that we know how in a practical way to apply some of the lessons we have learned—especially that of stick-to-it-iveness.

The sorrow you have experienced since the shadow of death has fallen upon you, is shared in an intensified degree by us; for it has pleased an All-Wise Providence to remove from us one of our own number who was loved by us all. Our consolation is that she has received a beautiful welcome to a higher class and to the banquet of the skies.

We all, I believe, have our aims, our hopes and our dreams. How many of these will be realized, and how many go out in utter darkness, none of us can tell. But, whatever our lives may be, filled with success or disappointment, never can we forget the Alumni Association, nor the kindly welcome we have received this evening.

"Good Night, My Beloved," by *Pinsuti*, was the closing musical number of the reunion, a trio, by Miss Lizzie Knieper, Miss Minnie Bachman and Sherman McClelland, the accompaniment by Miss Ehrman.

President Westermann then invited the graduates to the banquet and the audience dispersed.

THE BANQUET.

It was served in Guards' Armory, where the reception was held. The Opera orchestra played a spirited march while the large company assembled and promenaded around the hall, the graduates and the members of the association greeting each other and the teachers warmly as they met in groups and chatted together of the happy days passed in their Alma Mater.

The banquet had been prepared by Mrs. C. W. Snyder, who was assisted by Mrs. Mabel Anderson. It was a fine feast and was served promptly by colored waiters. The tables were arranged as follows:

Toastmaster and Alumni.

Alumni.	Graduates.	Alumni.
Alumni.		Alumni.

Superintendent and Teachers.

When all had been seated Toastmaster Hostetler called the company to order and Rev. M. M. Goodwin invoked the Divine blessing, after which the attack on the banquet began.

MENU.

They fette hem first the sweete wyn
And mede eek in a maselyn,
And roial spicerye;
Of gingebreed that was ful fyn,
And lycorys, and eek comyn,
With sugre that is trye.
—*Chaucer.*

Jambon a la francaise, a la sauce Mayonaise.
Salade de Saumon, Olives d' Espange.
Sauce Concombre, Sauce Chou fleur.
Sauce Poivre, Sauce Betterave.
Fraises, Oranges, Bananes, Raisins.
Pommes de Pin, Poires, Prunes,
Creme Glace, Gateau aux raisins de Corinthe
Baisers, Macarons.
Pain des Anges, Pate feuillete.
Pate do fourneaux, Bon Bons.
Pate de fois gras.

Migawd: It is t-t-much. *Tea Cat Tragedy.*

Wi' sauce ragouts, and sic' like trashtrie,
That's little short o' downright wastrie.
—*Burns' Twa Dogs.*

Give us *song* and *feasting*, mirth and laughter;
Sermons and soda water, the day after.
—*Byron.*

TOASTS.

But, indeed, their invention
Comes from their pates, as bird lime does from friezo,
It plucks out brains and all.
—*Othello.*

Our New Members......Miss Gertie Sherb, '88
But what are they?
Infants crying in the night;
Infants crying for the light;
And with no language but a cry.
—*Tennyson.*

Response for the class. Julius Westerman, '89
Eighty-nine—One of the few, the immortal names,
That were not born to die.
—*Halleck.*

The Teachers......Miss Vaughn
Herkne what is the sentence of the wyse.
—*Chaucer.*

The Rise of the Alumnus......John Powell
The bookful blockhead, ignorantly read,
With loads of learned lumber in his head.
—*Pope.*

The Graduate's Enthusiasm. V. N. Hostetler, '83
Less Deinen Geist in meiner Stimme klingen,
Und was du sangst, lass mich es dir nachsingen!
—*Taylor's Invocation.*

The toasts caused great merriment. Those by Miss Vaughan and Mr. Powell were especially humorous, as both teachers used the shaft of sarcasm mercilessly in hits at the peculiarities of the different members of the High School faculty, and in a general way alluded to the habits of the pupils who go through the city college.

Tender allusions to deceased members were offered. Mr. Hostetler offered a tribute to the late Mrs. Ruth Culver-Vestal; Miss Mamie Abel spoke of the death of the late Eliza Hall, and Miss Nita Clark offered remarks in memory of Ella Antrim, of the class of '89, who died in May. The death of Laura Lindsay was announced.

The spirited singing of college songs, led by Bering Burrows with banjo accompaniment, was a marked feature of the banquet and afforded much enjoyment. The selections included "Pierre de Bon-Ton," "Mary Had a Little Lamb," "Michael Roy," "Way up on the Mountain Top," "When I was a Student at Cadiz," "Spanish Guitar," "McSorley's Twins," "Paddy Duffy's Cart," "Mafintyre," "Mrs. Brady," "Over the Banister" and "Sweet and Low."

Seated around the table were 145 banqueters, and nearly everybody joined in the chorus of songs, the closing number being "Should Auld Acquaintance be Forgot."

DANCING.

It was announced at 11 o'clock that those who wished to vacate the hall could do so, but all were invited to remain and participate in the dance which would close the reunion. It was noticed that nearly the entire company remained and as soon as the tables were moved back against the walls, and the floor too liberally waxed, the dancing began and was kept up until 2 a. m. A dozen or more couples from the Rodotto and Home Circle clubs were among the invited guests at the dance. They appeared in party costumes.

A Foundry and a College.

The called meeting of the Decatur Board of Trade, held at the office of J. M. Clokey last night, was fairly well attended considering the inclemency of the weather. Two very important propositions affecting the business interests of Decatur were considered. One was the location of a stove factory plant at this point. It now employs 50 men the year round, and is soon to be moved to some central point in the west like Decatur. Secretary Clokey believes it is a big thing and thinks it can be secured if proper efforts are made. Messrs. W. J. Quinlan, Charles M. Hurst and Henry Mathews were appointed as a committee to investigate and report. The other point discussed was the possible removal of the United Brethren college from Westfield, Ill., to Decatur. The college has existed 24 years and now has about 200 students. There are twelve professors, and the removal of the college would be a great advantage to Decatur in many ways. Three of the thirteen members of the board of trustees are L. B. Casner, A. F. Hopkins and H. W. Trueblood, of this county. The annual meeting of the board will be held on Sunday, and during the college commencement next week the question of removal will be discussed by the trustees. Mayor Kanan, W. H. Linn, A. Kramer, W. B. Chambers, Dr. Vosburgh and J. M. Clokey were appointed to look after the interests of Decatur in reference to the removal of the college.

Uniform Rank, Knights of Pythias.

Excursion to Peoria June 11th; special train leaves Union Depot at 8:30 a. m. Everybody invited to go. One fare for round trip. Good returning until the 15th. 7-d3

THE CIRCUIT COURT.

Judge Vail on the Bench—Orders on the Dockets.

Judge Vail opened the second day of the June term of the circuit court this morning.

TEN INDICTMENTS.

The grand jury reported 10 true bills, mostly indictments against prisoners confined in the county jail or out on bail.

There were no indictments found against John Cassidy for assaulting Tom Lord; nor against John Anderson and William Segrass for burglary and larceny, John Jackson for larceny, and F. C. Yeager for assault, and they were ordered discharged.

The William Bolz perjury case was continued until the next term of court.

NO CHANGE.

Judge Vail adjourned court this afternoon until Monday at 1:30 p. m. Judge Hughes will not preside at this term. Civil and jail cases will receive attention during the term.

BOND APPROVED.

The official bond of James J. Finn, master in chancery, in the sum of $10,000, with K. H. Roby and B. O. McReynolds as sureties, was approved by Judge Vail.

CHANCERY DOCKET.

J. T. Roberts vs. E. F. and Nicy B. Richards; foreclosure. F. A. Brown appointed guardian for minor defendants; decree against adults not answering and referred to master.

David E. Mixell vs. Emma Mixell; divorce. Continued for service.

Sexton E. Smith vs. Silas E. Warrick; injunction. Motion entered to dissolve injunction for want of equity on face of bill.

Same vs. E. B. Sanner; injunction. Same order.

Thomas Dewey vs. Lewis Thompson et al; foreclosure. Appearance of Lewis Thompson and Mary J. Thompson in writing.

Lydia E. Hudelson et al vs. Anna M. Myers; dower. Decree pro confesso and referred to master.

Fannie D. Delaney vs. James G. Delaney; divorce. Decree pro confesso.

W. A. Thrift vs. Anna O. Thrift et al; chancery. I. D. Walker appointed guardian for minor defendants.

Josephine Goodman vs. Frank Goodman; divorce. Evidence heard and divorce granted. The mother was given custody of the child.

Melvin S. Miller et al vs. Catherine E. Miller et al, partition. F. A. Brown appointed guardian for minors; decree against defendants not answering.

Catherine Yeager vs. F. C. Yeager; divorce. Decree pro confesso.

Sylvanus Dake vs. William Kizer et al; mechanics' lien. Dismissed by complainant.

Sylls Maden vs. Fanny Maden; divorce. Continued for service.

Margaret Corn vs. Adam M. Corn; divorce. Decree pro confesso.

William C. Drake vs. Frances I. Drake; divorce. Motion by defendant for solicitor's fees and alimony.

COMMON LAW DOCKET.

Isaac A. Harkrader vs. George Priest et al; assumpsit. Default against D. S. Priest and A. N. Diehl; damages assessed at $1460.

Frank Myers vs. Lou Ebert; assumpsit. Default; judgment for $310.12.

Galaxy Mill Co. vs. A. O. Brewer; assumpsit. Default; judgment for $570.70.

D. H. Hellman & Son vs. Lydia A. Craig, assumpsit. Default; judgment for $274.25.

The People of the State of Illinois vs. E. McClellan et al: debt; two cases. Motion for rule on plaintiff to file bill of particulars allowed and rule on plaintiff to file bill of particulars by Sept. 1, '89.

THIS forenoon Marshal Mason arrested Sherman Miller, the 14-year old boy who stole a watch yesterday from a plasterer, Charles Bonnett, who had hung his vest on the end of a lath in the Mattes building on North Main street. The boy confessed his guilt. He is in jail. He sold the watch to a boy. It has been recovered.

A Counterfeiter Caught.

Some days ago it will be remembered that Decatur merchants and saloonkeepers had about a dozen counterfeit $10 greenbacks unloaded upon them by a stranger, who was described as having one of his fingers cut off smooth to the palm. The name of the smooth chap is Lon Barrett. He was captured Friday at Terre Haute by Officers Dwyer and Murray, who, while in Decatur Forepaugh day, got a description of the counterfeiter from Marshal Mason. When taken in he had $90 in counterfeit, all of $10 denomination, and he had passed one of the bills at a saloon. He is recognized as a dangerous crook who has served a term in the Indiana penitentiary and as a member of the Sam Rivers' gang of horse thieves. Barrett has been taken to Indianapolis for prosecution. Decatur victims will be gratified to learn of the capture of the crook.

PERSONAL MENTION

Dr. R. Tobey returned to Macon to-day.

Mrs. R. Gallagher, of Chicago, is the guest of Mrs. J. W. Haworth.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Turner were in the city yesterday.

Mrs. M. Glore, is recovering from her late illness.

Miss Ruth Oder, of Springfield, arrived to-day on a visit to Miss Alice Tyler.

Mrs. H. H. Cres and children returned to Monticello this morning.

Miss Katie Pegram, of Lincoln, is in the city visiting her sister, Mrs. A. T. Summers.

Millie Batcholder, of the graduating class of '89, left for her home near Warrensburg this morning.

Miss Eva Lewis, who was visiting friends in the city yesterday, returned to-day to her home at Champaign.

Mrs. Isabella Gregory and Miss Stella Gregory, of Lovington, are in the city visiting W. W. Foster and family.

Mrs. S. B. Knight, who has been visiting Decatur friends for some time, returned to her home in Chicago this morning.

A. J. Wood, wife and daughter, Miss Ardie, left this morning for Marquand Mo., on a visit of several weeks to Mrs. W's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Elwood.

Harry Bumstead, who is a student at at Johns' Hopkins University at Baltimore, arrived home last night to spend his summer vacation.

Mrs. Cass Chenoweth and son Bruce, left to-day on a month's visit to relations at Boscobel, Wis. She will visit in Chicago a few days before proceeding to Boscobel.

Miss Marie Shellabarger, who has been attending school at Washington for some months, returned home last evening, accompanied by her friend Miss Crouch, who will remain in the city several days.

You Don't Say So!

Had the De Molay band gone to the Decatur contest Wednesday, it would no doubt have secured the first prize. Spencer's band, of Peoria, had no opponent for the $100 and the De Molay, as it is now constituted, could have knocked Lem Wiley's horn blowers where corn is $5 a bushel.—*Bloomington Pantagraph.*

Then why didn't De Molay come down? Better get in shape for the '90 tournament. Spencer will be here then, and so will Goodman's Band.

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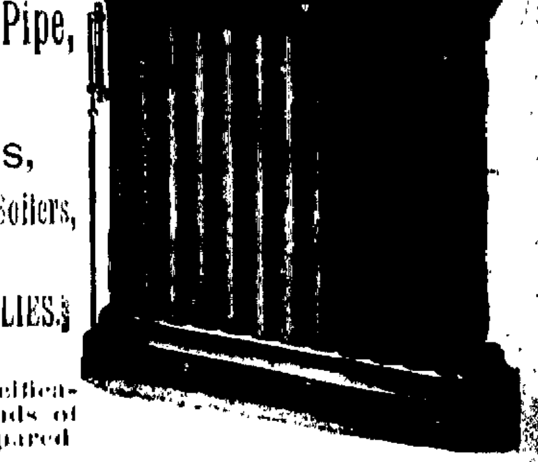
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CORN—34 June; 34¼ July; 34¾ Aug; 35¼ Sept.

OATS—22 June; 22¼ July; 22¼ Aug. 22¾ Sept.

PORK—$11.77 June; $11.80 July; $11.85 August.

LARD—$6.65 June; $6.70 July; $6.77 August.

RIBS—$5.00 June; $5.00 July; $5.07 August.

Live Stock—Estimated receipts—Hogs 11,000; market slow. Cattle, 2,500; market easy.

Car Lots—Wheat; Winter, 26; Spring, 13; Corn, [illegible], Oats, [illegible].

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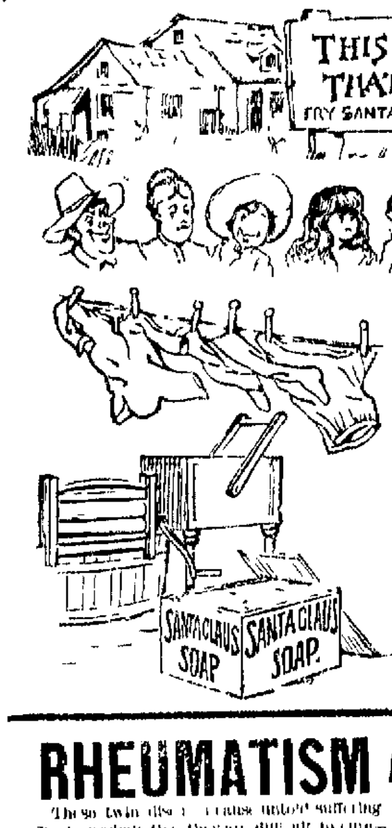
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(NOTE "From" denotes time of arrival. "To" denotes time of departure

FROM ST. LOUIS		TO ST. LOUIS	
No 10 Pass	1 00 p m	No 9 Pass	6 0[illegible]
No 4 Pass	11 09 a m	No 3 Pass	3 16 [illegible]
No 44 Pass	11 10 a m	No 13 Pass	1 07 a m
No 42 Pass	10 [illegible] p m	No 15 Pass	2 0[illegible] p m
No 2 Pass	11 55 p m	No 5 Pass	1 07 p m
No 70 Freight	5 30 p m	No [illegible] Freight	[illegible]

FROM QUINCY		TO QUINCY	
No 42 Pass	10 10 p m	No 43 Pass	[illegible] a m
No 44 Pass	10 50 a m	No 4[illegible] Pass	10 p m
No 6 Pass	8 15 a m	No [illegible] Pass	9 [illegible] p m
No 47 Acc	7 [illegible] p m	No [illegible] Ac	[illegible] a m
No 70, Freight	10 15 a m	No [illegible] Freight	12 30 p m

FROM TOLEDO & DETROIT		TO TOLEDO & DETROIT	
No 43 Pass	1 50 a m	No [illegible] Pass	[illegible] a m
No 45 Pass	2 30 p m	No 44 Pass	11 [illegible] a m
No 41 Pass	0 00 p m	No 42 Pass	10 [illegible] p m
No 77 Pass		No 47 Pass	
from Fremont	11 00 a m	to Fremont	1 p m

FROM CHICAGO		TO CHICAGO	
No 1 Pass	1 [illegible] a m	No 2 Pass	1[illegible] 05 a m
No 5 Pass	2 35 p m	No 4 Pass	11 25 a m
No [illegible] Pass	8 50 p m	No 6 Pass	[illegible] a m

ILLINOIS CENTRAL.

NORTH.		SOUTH	
No. 2 Pass	7 10 a m	No 1 Pass	5 02 p m
No. 4 Pass	12 41 a m	No 3 Pass	10 20 a m
No 12 Pass	2 05 p m	No 11 Freight	[illegible] 15 a m
No 5, Champaign Line, arrives,	10 1[illegible] a m	No 4 Champaign Line leaves,	3 15 p m
No 10, Freight	4 10 p m		

INDIANAPOLIS, DECATUR & WESTERN.

ARRIVE		LEAVE	
No 1 Pass.	2 13 p m	No 2 Pass.	11 12 a m
No 3 Pass	4 00 a m	No 4 Pass	10 50 p m
No 7, Pass	10 30 a m	No 8 Pass	1 00 p m

PEORIA, DECATUR & EVANSVILLE.

NORTH		SOUTH	
No. 2 Pass	[illegible] p m	No 1 Pass	11 00 a m
No. 4 Pass	7 00 a m	No 3 Pass	10 00 p m
No. 20 Freight	10 55 a m	No 19 Freight	8 00 p m

TERRE HAUTE & PEORIA.

EAST.		WEST.	
No. 2 Pass	2:24 p m	No. 1 Pass.	12 40 p m
[illegible]	[illegible]	No. 3 Pass ar.	7:30 p m
[illegible]	[illegible]	No. 5 Freight	4:[illegible] a m
[illegible]	[illegible]	No. 7 [illegible]	[illegible]

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FOREIGN NEWS.

Mr. Blaine's Ambition to Prove Himself a Great Diplomat.

The Maybrick Murder—Thunder and Lightning—German Generosity in Aid of the Flood Sufferers.

An American of French Descent—A Great Conflagration—Raised a Hubbub, Etc.

England.

DIPLOMATIC DRAW-POKER.

LONDON, June 7—The St James Gazette prints a leading editorial on the subject of the Behring Sea controversy, which it heads "Diplomatic Draw-Poker" The article declares that the key to Mr Blaine's preposterous claims in Behring Sea is his belief that a first-class controversy with England is necessary to mark him as a diplomat of the foremost rank Blaine knows that a lot of bluff will sometimes prevent a call from any but the strongest hands The article concludes that the United States Government has set up a fictitious claim in Behring Sea solely with a view to offset the Canadian claims in the fisheries disputes.

THE MAYBRICK MURDER

LONDON, June 7—The proceedings of the coroner's inquest on the body of Mr Maybrick were brought to an end yesterday by the jury bringing in a verdict of wilful murder against Mrs Maybrick One of the witnesses, a chemist, who testified yesterday, swore that he found a bottle of arsenic in Mrs. Maybrick's trunk, and found a glass chocolate box in her room which also contained arsenic

THUNDER AND LIGHTNING

LONDON, June 7—A tremendous thunder-storm passed over London yesterday The lightning was intensely vivid Much property was damaged and several cases of loss of life are reported

WON BY KINGSCOTE

LONDON, June 7—The race for the Epsom grand prize of 1,000 sovereigns yesterday was won by Kingscote, Melancon second, Indian Prince third

JOINED THE SEAMAN'S STRIKE

LONDON June 7—The dock laborers of Glasgow, Greenock, Belfast and Londonderry have joined the seaman's strike

Germany

RECIPROCAL GENEROSITY

BERLIN, June 7—The Nord Deutsche Allgemeine Zeitung, in an editorial yesterday on the Johnstown floods, closed with a call upon German generosity in aid of the sufferers America, it says, has never been slow or niggardly in responding to the voice of distress when it arose in Europe Let us now show Americans that Germany, too, can be generous

The cotton mills in Offenburg, Baden, were destroyed by fire yesterday, involving a loss of 300,000 marks. Several workmen were killed.

Disastrous floods are reported from different parts of Bavaria, with considerable destruction of property The crops are ruined in many sections.

MURDER OF THE MARCHIONESS DE CHESTELER

BRUSSELS, June 6—The Marchioness De Chesteler, belonging to one of the oldest of the noble families of Belgium, was found murdered in her bed at her residence, the Chateau Moulbaix, at Mons, this morning The crime has created great excitement

The Marchioness de Chesteller was shot through the heart. The ball having been fired at her through a window, the report of the weapon projecting it was not heard within the house It is supposed that the murderer is a farmer who was angry with the Marchioness for refusing to reduce his rent

AN AMERICAN OF FRENCH DESCENT

LONDON, June 7—The Koelnische Zeitung comments very severely upon Lady Randolph Churchill's recent criticisms upon the Germans in an English magazine The paper said Lady Churchill evidently desired to revenge herself upon the whole German nation for the slight Prince Bismarck put upon her in failing to invite her to meet him on the occasion of her recent visit to Berlin The article concludes "It ought to be remembered that Lady Churchill is an American of French descent"

A GREAT CONFLAGRATION

LONDON, June 7—A fire in the village of Libonsch, near Ratibor, in Prussian Silesia Wednesday, destroyed 105 houses, including the village church and vicarage. Seven hundred of the villagers are rendered homeless

AN AMERICAN DETECTIVE ROBBED

BERLIN, June 7—A New York detective who came from the Paris Exhibition and is now visiting in Berlin, had his pocket picked here yesterday He lost his money and some valuable papers

Switzerland

RAISED A HUBBUB

LONDON, June 7 News comes from Berne that considerable friction has developed between the German and Swiss governments over the recent expulsion from Swiss territory of the German police official, Herr Wohlgemuth The German authorities at Berlin are never at their ease if there is a single German Socialist in Europe without a policeman to shadow him To look after the little colony of exiles in Switzerland, the government officials at Berlin not long since sent Herr Wohlgemuth into that country, and this gentleman growing restless, because his intended victims would not promptly make a move which would entitle him to pounce upon them bribed a Swiss Socialist to go amongst them to stir them up This man, however, instead of leading his German brethren into the trap so neatly set for them, disclosed the whole proceeding to his government, whereupon Herr Wohlgemuth was promptly imprisoned German official influence secured his release, but he was given twenty-four hours to shake the dust of Switzerland from his feet This, it was thought at the time, would more than satisfy the German Government but in this the Swiss made a mistake. Bismarck now demands that the decree of expulsion be rescinded claiming that the Swiss had failed to observe toward Germany the usual diplomatic courtesy The whole proceeding excites considerable indignation among diplomats here who are acquainted with the facts, and Germany is generally regarded as playing the part of a big bully toward her weaker neighbor This is not the only case of the kind Switzerland has on her hands. A Russian spy was recently expeled from her territory under precisely similar circumstances, and Russia now is also raising a hubbub about it. The picture of Germany and Russia uniting their forces to crush poor little Switzerland would be an instructive one to the enthusiastic admirers of monarchical chivalry

France

HE SAID HIS PIECE.

PARIS, June 7—An exciting scene occurred in the Chamber of Deputies yesterday when M Ferry rose to speak on the educational budget The members of the Right rose as one man and shouted and shrieked until they became hoarse M. Ferry remained standing in his place coolly waiting for an opportunity to be heard, but his enemies kept up the cry "The blood of the Tonquin dead choke you," while insults of the coarsest nature were hurled at him fast and thick When the angry Deputies had quieted down somewhat from sheer exhaustion, Paul de Cassagnac rose and with a contemptuous nod in the direction of the ex-Premier, said "Let us submit to the infliction Let us listen to this bourgeois, this vendean Deputy" Then facing the President, who was all the time shouting "Order," "Order" he said "We swallow our disgust, Mr President Let him talk" Ferry then proceeded with his speech

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THE CRONIN INQUEST.

Testimony Tending to Show the Connection of the Clan-na-Gael,

And of Particular Prominent Members with the Dastardly Assassination—The Doctor's Presentiment

CHICAGO, June 7 The Cronin inquest was resumed at fifteen minutes past ten o'clock yesterday morning William J Smith, the young man who was for a time suspected to be Coughlin's friend from Michigan was the first witness Nothing new was developed by his testimony One of the sensations promised for the day is the introduction of the books of the firm of J T Lester & Co, containing the account of the dealings of Alexander Sullivan with the concern

Stewart L Moore, a clerk in the employ of J T Lester & Co., testified to certain transactions Alexander Sullivan had with the firm They were chiefly in railroad stocks, and covered a period from June 1, 1882, to February 28, 1883 The total trades showed losses to Sullivan between five thousand and eight thousand dollars The total amount of margins was $12,000

Thomas O'Connor, an employe of the city law department, was the next witness He was a member of Camp No 96 Clan-na-Gael the same one to which Coughlin and P O Sullivan belonged He had known Dr Cronin for four or five years Dr Cronin told him he was afraid of his life on account of some exposures he had made of misappropriations of funds by certain members of the Clan-na-Gael He did not mention any names Had known Coughlin about five years He met P O Sullivan in front of his house the third night after Cronin's disappearance He asked Sullivan how long he had known Cronin Sullivan said ever since John Finnerty ran for city treasurer Witness was present when Daniel Brown, of Camp No 16 of the Clan-na-Gael, and the police officer on duty at the Stanton avenue station presented and read charges in Camp No 96 which he had presented in Camp No 16 They charged Dr Cronin with reading in the camp of which he was the chief officer a circular from a camp which had been expeled from the order by the executive body. A committee composed of Lawrence R Buckley, Frank Murray, Dan Coughlin, John P O'Malley, James J Guneo and one other whose name he did not remember, were appointed to investigate the charges They reported the result of their investigation to the executive body which expeled Dr Cronin On Friday after Dr Cronin's disappearance, witness met Dan Coughlin and Officer Whalen on a corner They spoke of the disappearance Coughlin said he believed Cronin was in London with Le Caron Witness expressed the belief that he was true to the Irish cause, and was not there Coughlin replied "I hope he is over there and is alive"

Witness then told of having been approached by a man unknown to him who told him he might be selected for some work across the water On Dr Cronin's advice he determined to have nothing to do with it

At the afternoon session John P Beggs, the lawyer, who has figured in the case as a personal friend of Alexander Sullivan, and who went Paris on a mysterious mission for the latter was the principal witness. Under a close cross-examination he admitted that he was the present senior guardian of Camp No 20 of the Clan-na-Gael There was no roster of the camp in existence He could not swear that he did not meet Detective Coughlin on the day of Cronin's disappearance, nor on the following day pleading faulty memory He remembered, however that he was at the Grand Pacific the night in question with a party of friends At a camp meeting in January, he said there were several attacks by innuendo upon Alexander Sullivan, and in response he pitched into the speakers and handled them without gloves, telling them that if they wanted to abuse Sullivan they should mention his name and not attack him under cover in a cowardly manner He repeated the story of going to New York on May 11 and meeting a man named Powers who told him that he had met Starkey, the fugitive jury briber From thence he went to Spring Valley, N Y Witness emphatically denied that he sent a dispatch from that point signed with his initials, to the effect that he had met Dr Cronin From Spring valley he went to Niagara Falls, where he met John H Ronayne, a member of the Clan-na-Gael executive committee They had a general talk He had seen Alexander Sullivan since his return but not a word passed about the finding of the body Replying to a final question Beggs said that he had no theory regarding the murder

A. J Ford, another member of Camp No. 20, corroborated previous witnesses regarding Cronin having been expeled at one time from the order

Incidentally it came out that Thomas Murphy, father of the Miss Murphy who claimed to have seen Dr Cronin on a street car on the night of the murder was a member of the trial committee

The inquest will be resumed to-day.

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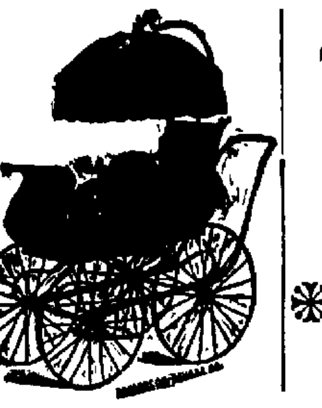
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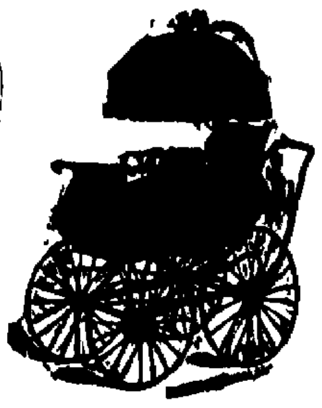
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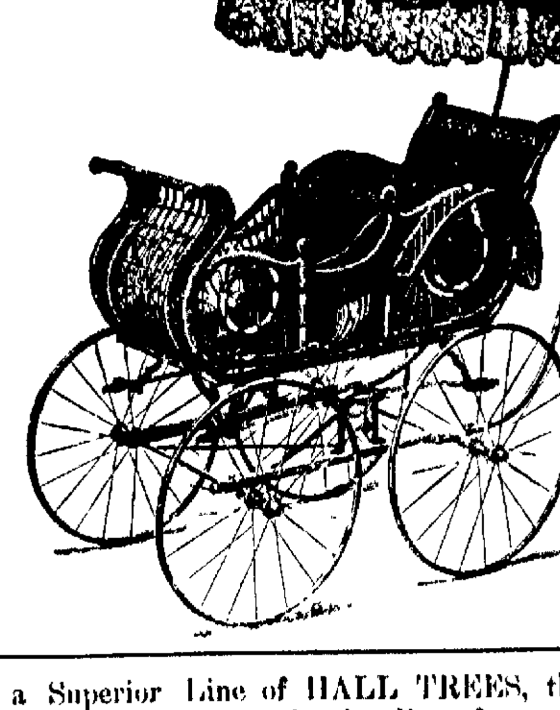
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SATURDAY EVE., JUNE 8, 1889.

It is reported that both Tom Reed and Major McKinley are confident of capturing the speakership, while Joe Cannon lays back upon his record and points with pride to the fact that he has been getting about whatever he has deserved for the past three months, and he has been in no sense modest in his desires, either. If scalps count for anything can he not show a longer and more distinguished string than anybody else? If appointments are to be counted as stars in his crown of rejoicing, does he not wear a more glittering band on his manly brow than any other member of Congress can display? And all this in addition to his merits which are conceded by all. The average American congressman is a good deal like the average American who does the voting every two years. He likes a fellow who always gets there, and Joe Cannon possesses that faculty in an eminent degree, as even Senators Colloin and Farwell will not hesitate to confess.

"The Democrats have all got to get together," is the sensible advice of that eminent Democrat, Mr. Samuel J. Randall. It is no matter that Mr. Randall himself is looked upon by a large section of the party as even better than a Republican," the Democrats have got to get together. Mr. Henry Watterson claims that Charles A. Dana is nothing but a vandal, but, no odds, "the Democrats have all got to get together." General John M. Palmer and Bill Morrison are slashing away at each other's throats in Illinois, and the triumph of one is the death knell of the other, but they've "got to get together." Mr. Grover Cleveland and Mr. David Bennett Hill are each looking for the jugular vein of the other, and nothing would please either any better than the opportunity to get the drop on the other, but Sam Randall says they must get together, and not in a pugilistic sense, either. Tammany braves thirst for the life blood of the County Democracy, but Sam Randall says they must bury the hatchet and "get together," kiss and make up. And they'll come as near doing it as ever did hungry mobies, for they are all in a mood to listen to Sam now. They're out of meat.

Experts on Mahoon Gas

Yesterday afternoon J. H. Hervey and H. Mundell, of Findley, Ohio, were in the city at the request of the parties interested in the natural gas well, and were taken out to Matthew Wilson's place and to other points on the ridge south of the city where gas has been discovered. The experts men, who are experts in the matter and proprietors of several gas and oil wells, were greatly surprised at the surface indications and pronounced the gas the same as discovered in Pennsylvania and New York. Mr. Wilson's well they said was the largest small well they ever saw. The gas is not that which comes from the Trenton rock, but has its origin in the Niagara sandstone, which is much nearer the surface than the Trenton rock. Altogether, the experts were delighted with our gas well and urged the citizens to go ahead and organize the company. *Mattoon Gazette.*

THE CHURCHES TO-MORROW.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Preaching by Rev. Dr. D. C. Marquis, of Chicago, morning and evening. Sunday school at 2 p. m. Mission Sunday school, 2 p. m., corner of N. College and Packard Sts.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

Preaching by Rev. W. H. Prentice at 10:30 a. m. Children's meeting at 2:30 p. m. "To-morrow or "Children's day" in this church. Sunday school at 2 p. m. All are cordially invited

M. E. CENTENARY CHAPEL.

458 North Broadway St. Services at 10:30 a. m., and at 7:45 p. m. Class meeting at 9:30 a. m. Sabbath school at 2 p. m. J. W. Boggess, pastor.

ST. PETER'S CHAPEL (CATHOLIC.)

C. H. Sheen, pastor. Preaching at 10:30 a. m., and at 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 2:30 p. m. J. W. Woomford, supt. Morning subject, "Home Influences," evening, "Timothy's Early Penance."

A special programme will be rendered at the Sunday School.

CHRISTIAN.

There will be no services at the church except Sunday school at 9 o'clock.

BAPTIST CHURCH.

Rev. Dr. Geo. E. Vosburgh, pastor. Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. The morning service will be by the Sunday school in the regular "Children's day." Evening: "Elijah and Virgil; or, The Royal Pontiff," "or the fifth lecture in the series on "Fearful Nights in Hebrew History." The public is cordially invited.

CONGREGATIONAL.

Children's Day. Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. At the hour of the morning service special exercises will be given by the Sabbath school. In the evening preaching by the pastor, Rev. W. C. Miller. At the evening service a collection will be taken for the benefit of the Johnstown sufferers. Sunday school at 9:15 a. m. Young people's meeting at 6:15 p. m. You are cordially invited to these services.

FIRST M. E. CHURCH.

Children's Day. Class at 9 a. m. Sermon to the children by the pastor at 10:30 a. m. Sabbath school at 2 p. m. Concert exercises at at 7:30 p. m. Birds, flowers and music.

W. C. T. U.

Gospel temperance meeting at their rooms to-morrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Subject, Flower Mission Work. Selections will be read by members of the Y. W. C. T. U. All cordially invited.

Farewell Party.

Miss Emma Weigand entertained a large number of friends last evening in honor of Miss Sallie Clark, who has been her guest for the past week. There were about 15 couples present and the evening was very enjoyably spent in social converse and parlor games. Elegant refreshments were served, and at 12 o'clock the good nights were spoken, all assuring Miss Emma it was an evening that would long be remembered by them. It was a "good-bye" party for Miss Clark.

Dr. Richard Edwards has appointed John D. Benedict, of Danville, assistant superintendent of education, vice Freeman, resigned. The salary is $2500 a year. Mr. Benedict has formally accepted, the appointment was entirely unsolicited on his part, and also entirely unexpected. He will remove his family to

Powder Baking Soda.

A PARTING CURSE.

An Epidemic of Diphtheria Feared in the Conemaugh Valley.

The Red Cross Open a Hospital at Kernville, with Numerous Patients.

Death Roll of the Guests and Employes of the Hulburt House of Johnstown.

The Work of the Flood in the Bald Eagle Valley—Over a Million Dollars' Damage at Bellefonte.

A Parting Curse.

Johnstown, Pa., June 8.—It is feared at the Red Cross Corps headquarters that the flood has left a parting curse hovering over the Conemaugh Valley in the form of the dread disease diphtheria. The attention of the medical people was directed to Kernville, where the Red Cross makes no secret of a prevailing epidemic. Miss Clara Barton and Dr. O'Neill, of the Red Cross, decided yesterday to establish a hospital at Kernville, and after much trouble with the local authorities, secured a site and erected their hospital tents, with Dr. Bernay, of Philadelphia, in charge. This morning they are prepared to receive the patients, of which there is a large number.

Death Roll of the Hulburt House—The Survivors.

Johnstown, Pa., June 8. The register and safe of the Hulburt House were taken out of the ruins intact yesterday. The following is the entire list of dead and the survivors of the ill-fated hotel. The dead are:

Mrs. E. E. Benford, Johnstown.
Miss Marie Benford.
Miss May Benford.
Lou Benford.
Mrs. Katzenstein and child.
Mrs. Smith and three children.
Miss Homer.
Mrs. Dr. DeFrance.
Miss Laura Hamilton.
Mrs. Ella Byrne.
Jane Maloy.
Minnie Houston.
Mary Rodgers.
Ella Hartman.
Bertha Rothel.
Lottie Yost.
Jennie Simonse.
Ella Johnston.
Charles Wilson, clerk.
William Henry.
J. C. Clark.
Nellie Clark.
Dr. Brinkey.
Elber Brinkey.
— Butler.
Charles Marshall.
John Byrnes.
Albert Wherry.
J. W. Weakland.
Dr. St. John, Harrisburg.
Carrie Richard, Ypsilanti, Mich.
Mollie Richard, Ypsilanti, Mich.
Jennie Wells, Tioga, Pa.
Miss Dibb, Shippensburg, Pa.
J. H. Cox, Philadelphia.
W. L. Spotz, Philadelphia.
Carlin, Philadelphia.
J. C. Little, Pittsburgh.
Sidney McCloud, Chicago.
Frank D. Felt, Chicago.
W. F. Down, New York.
James Murray, Philadelphia.
Charles Dewalt, Altoona.
Horton, Pittsburgh.

The survivors, whose names are on the same register, are

John D. Dorsey, Philadelphia; in a critical condition.

Hartley and H. W. Gahager, Philadelphia.

B. H. Lowe, Pittsburgh.
Mary Early, Johnstown.
J. L. Stith.
William Marshall.
Laura Rodgers.
Maggie Jones.
Walter Benford.
C. A. Benford.
Elvira Prosser.

Several bodies have been taken to the Fourth ward School house morgue. Those identified are

Geo. Robb.
Wolfgang Fisher.
Mrs. Kuhlbide.
Linda Kirkbride.
Wm. Seeberger.
Alex. Montgomery.

Eight bodies were removed from the morgue in the Second Presbyterian Church yesterday. Three of them were identified as Mrs. Elizabeth Strayer, Henry Backer and Angeal Ebler.

The remains of Wm. Bantlin, Edith Shoemaker and Mrs. Rev. Ellenberger were recovered at Kernville yesterday.

The Flood in the Bald Eagle Valley.

Bellefonte, Pa., June 8. The damage in this city is very light, but in the Bald Eagle Valley $500,000 will not cover the damage done. The Bald Eagle Valley railroad was washed out more than half of its length, but has since been temporarily repaired, and trains are now running into Bellefonte over that road.

In Mile Long the water filled the houses to a depth of from three to six feet, and great damage was done. No lives were lost, however.

In Pennsylvania and along the line of the Bellefonte, Nittany & Lemont railroad the worst damage in the county was done.

At Coburn the waters reached their worst. It spread over the entire town, and in some places, by actual measurement, was thirty feet deep. Three were drowned there—a Mr. Simon Hoover and two children, and had it not been for prompt assistance, scores would have perished. Simon Hoover was in Cameron County at the time. When notified of the fate of his family, he started for home and fell into the flood and was drowned; thus the whole family perished.

In Coburn there is not one good house left standing. The total loss will aggregate fully $500,000. The valley is strewn with bodies of all kinds of animals.

An Extra Session of the Pennsylvania State Legislature Imperatively Demanded.

Johnstown, Pa., June 8. Governor Beaver will call a special session of the Legislature, to it was said last night. Adjutant-General D. H. Hastings sent a telegram to the Governor at Harrisburg declaring that an extra session of the Legislature for the purpose of making an appropriation of two million dollars for relief to the people of Johnstown was important. General Hastings was at the wire early last evening, and had a long and earnest talk with the Governor. He told him that in his judgment a special session of the Legislature should be called at once. He said he had carefully gone over the situation and had sought the opinions of others. He was extremely anxious to know how the contributions were coming in, and said that it would be necessary to make heavy daily drafts on whatever amount might be raised outside in order to keep the work going on. He said if the contributions reached a million it would take that amount to clean out the city debris and pay the people of Johnstown and the men who were employed from outside. In addition, he thought the State should give two million dollars. General Hastings told the Governor that if he thought his (Hastings') judgment too high, he would be glad if Governor Beaver would come to Johnstown for a day or two and look it over. After the talk over the wire with Governor Beaver, General Hastings said:

"The work that is going on now so nicely can not last longer than a week or so, at the outside, unless the money for conducting it on a permanent basis is furnished, either by the State or the people of the United States."

It was stated on almost undoubted authority late last night that Governor Beaver had decided to call an extra session of the State Legislature.

Adjournment of the Coroner's Jury.

Johnstown, Pa., June 8.—Coroner Evans' jury, empanneled on the case of Mrs. Hair, of Johnstown, to endeavor to fix the responsibility for the awful disaster caused by the breaking of the dam, held another session in Kernville yesterday, and adjourned to next Wednesday. At the next session testimony as to the safety of the South Fork dam and the culpability of the proprietors will be taken.

The Flood at Bellefonte.

Pittsburgh, Pa., June 8.—A private telegram received here from Bellefonte, Pa., about sixty miles east of Johnstown, says: "First communication with outside world. Over a million dollars damage by storm in this county. A large number of lives have been lost."

A Growing Fund.

Washington, June 7.—The contributions to the Johnstown flood-sufferers' fund now aggregates $32,925.

Another Dam Disaster Threatened.

Cuba, N. Y., June 8, 2 a. m.—The reservoir at this place is leaking, and the water is being drawn off through outlets to prevent a break in the dam.

THE CRONIN QUEST.

Important Witnesses Fail to Put in an Appearance.

Other Witnesses with Defective Memories—Luke Dillon Talks Right Out.

Chicago, June 8.—Detective Mike Whalon was the first witness called in the Cronin inquest yesterday, but he failed to respond. Peter McGeoghan, the Philadelphia suspect, was then called, and failing to appear an order was issued for his arrest. Both Whalon and McGeoghan were present, however, when the inquest was adjourned for the day, having quietly passed in a short time before, no one appearing to know how they got there.

The first witness of the day was Police Officer Daniel Brown, who was Dr. Cronin's accuser in the trial in Camp No. 96, which resulted in the doctor's expulsion from the order. Brown testified that he was a member of the Clan-na-Gael at the time Dr. Cronin was expelled. He belonged to Camp No. 16, and does still, but has not attended in the three years past. The charge against Dr. Cronin was treason, and consisted in reading before Camp No. 96 a circular sent out by an exposed camp. The witness said he proferred and wrote out the charges himself. He had an emphatic negative answer for every question intimating that some one else asked, ordered or directed him to make the charges. He was positive in assuming the whole responsibility for making the charges. He was not an officer in the order, and did not hear Dr. Cronin read the circular, but visiting Dr. Cronin's camp soon after it was read he heard it talked about, and knowing that the reading of such a circular was contrary to the rules of the order, he preferred the charges.

Lawyer Ilges was the next witness, and said that in the summer of 1887 Dr. Cronin had consulted with him professionally, and had told him that he had evidence that a conspiracy against him existed in this city. William Starkey had asked him to testify as an expert in a certain case, and C. M. Hardy had cross-examined him with great minuteness as to his early life. About the same time Cronin's elder had written her brother from St. Catharines, stating that two men had called on her recently and questioned her in regard to him—saying that it concerned Cronin greatly in a case in New York. Cronin wrote to New York and found that no such case existed. "At last," continued witness, "the doctor jumped up and exclaimed: 'Alexander Sullivan is as black a thief. He and others are trying to ruin my reputation, and failing in that, they will seek my life."

Luke Dillon, of Philadelphia, was the first witness after recess. He knew Dr. Cronin intimately as an unselfish, patriotic and useful man in the Irish movement. Dr. Cronin had told him that it was Alexander Sullivan's ambition to rule both in Irish and American politics, and that this ambition would be the cause of Dr. Cronin's death. Dr. Cronin had expressed himself as believing that Alexander Sullivan had no more blood in him than a fish. The witness thought at that time that the doctor had Alexander Sullivan on the brain and that Sullivan was only an ordinary villain. He had changed his mind, however. At the time that Alexander Sullivan, Boland and Feely were tried in Buffalo, Sullivan had protested against Dr. Cronin sitting on the trial committee in such language that he believed Alexander Sullivan responsible for the murder, if not a principal in it.

The remainder of the session was given to the testimony of John F. O'Malley and Lawrence B. Buckley, who were members of the committee that tried and expelled Dr. Cronin. Their testimony elicited no new facts, being confined to such details concerning the composition of the committee and its action as they chose to remember.

Run Down on a Hand-Car and Killed.

Albuquerque, N. M., June 8.—A Santa Fe work train ran into Section Foreman Smith's hand-car, one mile above this city, killing the foreman outright and probably fatally injuring one of the crew.

If you desire a beautiful complexion, absolutely free from pimples and blotches, purify your blood by the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Remove the cause of these disfigurements and the skin will take care of itself. Be sure you get Ayer's Sarsaparilla

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SMOLDERING RUINS.

Further Particulars of the Burning of the City of Seattle.

The Early Reports of the Wholesale Destruction of Property Fully Confirmed.

The Losses Variously Estimated at from Fifteen Hundred Thousand to Four Millions.

Seattle, W. T., June 7.—What was the business part of this city is this morning nothing but smouldering ruins and debris. Fire broke out yesterday afternoon in the basement of a two-story frame building on the southwest corner of Front and Madison streets, owned by Mrs. Margaret J. Pentz. The fire originated in some turpentine, which caught fire in some way. The first story, which was leased by the Seattle Shoe Company, the upper floor being occupied for offices, was soon ablaze. Although the volunteer fire department responded promptly to the alarm they could do little or nothing to check the flames. The building, like most others of its kind in the business center, was not detached, but was the corner of a row of frame buildings all joined together and of various heights. They were dry as tinder, and proved an easy prey to the flames. Adjoining the first building was Dietz & Myers' wholesale liquor store. The barrels of liquor exploded with terrific reports as soon as the fire reached them and scattered the contents far and near.

The entire square composing the Denny Block, in which was a confectionery store, Gilmore & Co.'s real estate office and several other establishments, including a number of professional offices and some lodging apartments, were soon destroyed. An effort was made to flood the Coleman building on Front street to the south, but to no avail. The flames spread across Marion street to the Palace and Opera-house saloon. In less than half an hour another square was laid in ashes. This took in A. S. Smith's grocery, Merchants' wholesale confectionery, a fruit store, J. W. Lang & Co.'s drug-store, John Spencer's plumbing and steam-fitting establishment, R. J. Graham's tailor-shop, Edgar Bryan's pawn-shop, the Palace restaurant, Goring & O'Connell's jewelry-store, Sonster's barber-shop, Lesly's clothing-store and Dobells & Marion's clothing-store. While this square was burning the Opera-House block, on the east side of Front street, between Madison and Marion, caught fire in the upper story. The building, a three-story brick structure, owned by Geo. Frye, and valued at $120,000, was soon destroyed. With it was the Seattle Pharmacy, Golden Rule bazaar, Harris & Co.'s dry-goods store, Abernathy's shoe-store, Crouse & Co.'s undertaker's establishment, Latour's dry-goods house, Brondman's paint and oil house. The Kenyon block is also reduced to ashes. In this block was the job-printing establishment of the Evening Times, Vouen & Vaughn's music store and Earle's tailor shop. From the Opera-House block the fire spread and quickly swallowed up the square to the south. This square consisted of two-story frame buildings occupied by E. Lobe's bazaar, the California clothing store, Gordon Bros.' tailoring establishment, the Oriental bazaar and several other big concerns.

The fire department struggled bravely to save the most valuable part of Front street between Columbia and Yesler streets, which contained a fine row of brick buildings two and three stories high, where four banks had their offices—the Bank of Commerce, Merchants' National, First National and the Washington Guarantee and Loan Association and Savings Bank. The row consisted of a corner block occupied by Tobias, Singerman & Co.'s wholesale dry-goods store, the Union Block, the Parin building, the San Francisco clothing house, Star block, Arcade building and Yesler block on Central square. In Central square all the telegraph offices were situated. The Safe-Deposit Company also had a building in this row.

From initial points the fire spread north and south a distance of one mile. Every newspaper, hotel, telegraph office, railroad depot and wharf in the city was totally destroyed. The entire water-front, including all wharves and docks, coal-bunkers and railway tracks, the wholesale quarter and every thing south of Union street and west of Second street, and reaching around to the gas-works and above Fourth stood on Jackson, was completely burned. It is estimated that the total loss to the city in buildings alone is easily $6,000,000 and the personal losses will probably reach $20,000,000. Whether there is much loss of life can not yet be ascertained. There is great privation among the poor, as nearly every restaurant and grocery in the city was consumed by the fire. The burnt district, comprising sixty-four acres, now presents the aspect of a huge ocean of burning coals, and threatens even further destruction. The firemen, reinforced by Tacoma and Snohomish, are on the alert. The streets all through the night were crowded with people, wandering about penniless and homeless. The militia and extra police are to be seen on every corner guarding the property against thieves and vandals. One hundred arrests have already been made. All of the daily newspapers will publish to-morrow.

Words fail to describe the awful picture of the fire and desolation. It is like the Chicago fire, and like Chicago, will be rebuilt. Every body seems in good spirits as it is hard to realize the dreadfulness of this sudden calamity. When the Tokias Singermans & Co's building fell, about thirty people were near it and many of them were crushed. Similar accidents befell most of the large buildings.

Will Rebuild with Brick and Stone.

Portland, Ore., June 8.—Late reports from Seattle indicate that the total loss by the fire will reach anywhere from $1,500,000 to $4,000,000. The people decided at a meeting yesterday morning to rebuild the city with brick and stone. The military are guarding what property was not burned. The city is quiet and everybody is hopeful. The Governor has issued a proclamation appealing to the people of the Territory to send aid for the sufferers by the fire.

Tacoma citizens sent to Seattle yesterday morning large quantities of food, blankets and tents to supply the immediate wants of the homeless, and large quantities of supplies have also been sent from Portland.

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WHO NEXT?

The Question of the Papal Succession Attracting Timely Consideration.

Archbishop Gibbons, of Baltimore, Md., Believed to Hold the Winning Hand.

New York, June 8.—The Times yesterday morning printed the following, under date of Rome, June 6:

Who will be the next Pope? That is the question which all Europe is now considering. There is really no sovereign in the world whose acts are of the international character of the Pope's, and the death of Leo XIII. to-morrow would attract the attention of Americans more than any event that has occurred within the memory of the present generation. Why? Well, it is more than possible that European jealousies, no less than the present situation of the Vatican, would indicate the election of the American Cardinal, Archbishop Gibbons, of Baltimore, to the Chair of Peter. That is the concensus of opinion here, and the reasons advanced are lucidly condensed by a Roman prelate, whose position prevents the publication of his name—which I send you in confidence as a guarantee of the authority which brings the United States into such prominence in the old world's affairs. The Pope is not very strong, and reliable reports state that his wiry frame can not much longer endure the strain of his age and cares.

"Take a glance at the situation in Europe to-day," said my Roman informant, "and mark it well. Germany is opposed to all things French; France to all things German. Under the concordat, France has the privilege to protest against the election of certain candidates. The privilege is rarely exercised, and the Cardinals are not bound to obey it; but under present circumstances, when every force must be utilized in the struggle for the restoration of temporal power, it would be obeyed. Germany's candidates rejected, policy would compel the Cardinals to ignore France's claims, for Germany can not be offended. Cardinal Howard is afflicted with mental troubles, and the other English Cardinals are placed beyond consideration by their age—Newman being eighty-eight and infirm, and Manning eighty-one."

"But there are the Italian Cardinals?"

"Of course; but do you not know that they are old men—at least all the Cardinals whose lives and labors single them out for consideration! Simeoni, Parocchi, Schiaffino, Rampolla, Sanfelice and Vannutelli are the only Italian Cardinals whose names suggest Papal honors. But if you review the history of each you will find that as Nuncios to France or Germany they have earned the mistrust of either country, on account of past official relations, Cardinal Sanfelice alone excepted. But he, too, is out of the question."

"Would any government object to him?" asked the correspondent, wondering where the difficulties were going to end.

"Well, to tell you the truth, there never before was a time when Italian Cardinals were ineligible from political circumstances. France has to-day nine cardinals in the Sacred College, a very unusual number, caused by the fact that in addition to the prelates selected by the Pope the French Government insisted on the elevation of Mgr. Fonlon, a rich Bishop of Lyons. This gives you an idea of the importance attached to the next conclave, and a further illustration is to be had in the official announcement that President Carnot will receive the heretofore from the Pope, and in person present them to the three new French Cardinals."

"But what has this to do with the opposition to an Italian candidate?" was the query.

The Prelate smiled, evidently amused at what he thought an American's lack of perception.

"Well," was the answer, "France and Italy cross. The statements just made show that the French Cardinals will go into the conclave as Frenchmen and to oppose any action that might be objectionable to France and consequently prejudicial to the interests of the Holy See. Through treaty with the Emperor of China, the Vatican enjoys a protectorate in the East. This formerly belonged to France and carries with it vast commercial privileges. Is it surprising that France fears a transfer of this to Italy among other considerations, in return for the restoration of temporal power? France still enjoys the privileges, and this is only one instance where complications might arise."

"And this leads you to believe that the only compromise is an American Cardinal, Gibbons for instance?"

"Exactly; and I predict that under his administration the Roman question would be settled. The European governments are considerably perturbed over the possibilities of the conclave, and would certainly unite in offering inducements to Italy to grant a certain territory to the Pope, in which he would be a sovereign, perfectly free and independent, untrammeled by allegiance to any one government. There is none with whom negotiations could be carried on better than with a citizen of the great Republic of the West."

Katrina Wins Again.

New York, June 8.—The Katrina again beat the Shamrock yesterday.

The Wherefore and the Why.

The people have long known that Ferris & Lapham sell boots and shoes for less money than any others in the business. The reason is not far to seek. The great Chicago wholesale firm of L. L. Ferris & Co. buys and sells more shoes in one year than all the dealers in Decatur can handle in ten. It stands to reason that such big buyers have tremendous advantages and buy at first hands. If Ferris & Co. bought of the very jobbers who supply the Decatur houses, their large purchases would give them goods at a much lower figure. But the fact is that Ferris & Co. buy at first hands from the manufacturers. No middleman's profits to pay at Ferris & Lapham's. That is the why and the wherefore of the unapproachable low prices at Ferris & Lapham's No. 148 East Main street, Decatur, Ill. 8-d1f

Quick sales and small profits are making many people happy in the possession of those carriages, surreys, phaetons and buggies at E. G. Allen & Bro.'s. Now goods coming in every day to supply the great demand, and they are the latest styles. Come and make your selection apr25-d1f

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In all Departments, sold at the Lowest Possible Prices, always insures a lively trade. Big expenses and high prices are inseparable. Close and careful buying, light running expenses, Large Sales, Cheap Goods, does the business.

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S. G. HATCH & BRO.,

143 East Main Street.

April 26, 1889.

BASE BALL.

Games Played Friday, June 7.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Chicago—Chicago-Indianapolis.—Rain.
Philadelphia—Philadelphias, 14; Washingtons, 6.
Cleveland—Cleveland-Pittsburgh.—Rain.
Boston—Bostons, 9; New Yorks, 4.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

Philadelphia—Athletics, 9; Louisvilles, 8.
Columbus—St. Louis-Columbus.—Rain.

Games To-Day.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

New Yorks at Boston, Indianapolis at Chicago, Washingtons at Philadelphia, Pittsburghs at Cleveland.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

St. Louis at Baltimore, Louisvilles at Brooklyn, Cincinnatis at Columbus, Kansas Citys at Philadelphia.

The Inevitable Happens at Last.

Auburn, N. Y., June 8.—E. D. Hogan, the aeronaut of Jackson, Mich., had a narrow escape from death yesterday, owing to his parachute failing to work. He fell 2,500 feet when the parachute partially opened and somewhat broke the fall. He was badly injured.

Flight of a Forger.

Halifax, N. S., June 8.—Steward Smith, of Her Majesty's ship Comus, fled Wednesday, being guilty of forgery and embezzlement in connection with his vessels accounts. He has been arrested at Boston.

Shot and Killed.

New Orleans, June 8.—Last night in West Lake Charles, Gus Black shot and killed R. W. Perkins, son of a prominent lumber man. Black fled and is being pursued by a large posse.

"Now You See It, and Now You Don't."

Hartford, Conn., June 8.—Governor Bulkeley vetoed the Secret Ballot bill yesterday, and the House passed the bill over the veto, but afterward reconsidered the vote and tabled the bill.

"My daughter was greatly troubled with Scrofula, and, at one time, it was feared she would lose her sight. Ayer's Sarsaparilla has completely restored her health, and her eyes are as well as ever, with not a trace of scrofula in her system." O. King, Killingly, Conn.

When in need of a sewing machine, buy the Standard at Hill & Beatty's 25 East Main street. 22 d&w1m

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Absolutely Pure.

This powder never varies. A marvel of purity, strength and wholesomeness. More economical than the ordinary kinds, and cannot be sold in competition with the multitude of low test, short weight, alum or phosphate powders. Sold only in cans. Royal Baking Powder Co., 106 Wall St., N. Y.

FOR RENT, FOR SALE, WANTED, &c.

House for sale. I have a good 5-room house for sale, to be moved off, 614 N. Main street. V. H. Parke.
8-d3t

THE FAIR!

—OF—

WEAVER & LEWIS.

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—IN—

TINWARE AND GLASSWARE

THIS WEEK,

Commencing Monday Morning.

☞You have never been able to buy this class of goods at such prices as they are being sold.

12 doz. Silverine Mugs, worth	10c		5c
12 " " Dredges, "	10c		5c
12 " " Dustpans, "	15c		8c
10-quart Dishpan, "	24c		12c
2-quart Dippers, "	12c		6c
No. 7 Wash Boiler, worth	$1.10		75c,
No. 8 " " "	1.25		85c.
No. 9 " " "	1.50		98c.

3-qt. Iron Kettle, white lined, worth 50c, at 28c.
4-qt. Iron Kettle, white lined, worth 60c, at 38c.
4-quart Tea Kettles, 28c.
500 cakes of Santa Claus Soap, 4c.
400 doz. Steel Carpet Tacks, 15c a dozen.
Knives and Forks at 48c per set.
Chinese Laundry Soap at 3c per cake.
Revolving Flour Sifter, 10c.
Shoe Dressing, only 8c.
Bread Raisers, 98c.
Tin Cups, two for 5c.

☞Don't miss this Special Sale; it is for your benefit.

All goods sold for SPOT CASH and no other way.

We are adding NEW BARGAINS EVERY DAY.

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WEAVER & LEWIS.

159 East Main Street.

ON MONDAY, MARCH 25,

—AND—

TO CONTINUE 30 DAYS,

We will give a Discount of

✻20 CENTS ON THE DOLLAR✻

On our Entire Stock in Every Department except Prints, Muslins and Ginghams.

This is a prelude to CLOSING OUT OUR ENTIRE STOCK, which we are determined to do.

Terms of the above sale are SPOT CASH.

+F. L. HAYS & CO.,+

151 North Water Street.

✻ W. R. ABBOTT & CO ✻.

—Will Give Away—

+300+

of the Best Silverine Open Face, Key and Stem Winding Watch Cases, in exchange for old and worn out Silver Cases. NO EXTRA CHARGE for fitting your old movement to the new case.

Bring us all of your Watch, Clock and Jewelry Repairing, and have them promptly and correctly done.

Our Repair Prices are the Lowest in the City

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EAST PARK BOULEVARDS.

+Grand + Spring + Opening.+

28 houses erected in Fall of '88 Large number of houses to commence in early Spring. NO ADVANCE IN PRICES. Daily application for lots. Make your selection now and join the procession bound for the Boulevards.

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Fine Home-Made Bread, Pies and Cakes

211 NORTH MAIN ST.

Annual Meeting of Dunkards.

For the annual meeting of Dunkards at Harrisonburg, Va., the L. D. & W. R'y will sell round trip tickets from Decatur at rate of $19.45. Tickets on sale May 29th to June 10th. Good returning up to and including July 6th. For meeting of Dunkards at Pittsburg, Ohio, rate of $7.90 for round trip will be made. Tickets on sale June 3d to June 11th, good returning up to June 22d inclusive. For further information inquire at ticket office, Union depot, or of C. G. Dorwin, general agent of L. D. & W. R'y.

2 Cents a Yard.

This is our price to-day for Challies, and 36c each for heavy Merino Shirts and Drawers, at The New Store.
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Jenness Miller

Scientific system of dress for women and children. Patterns now on sale at
mar16-d1f Linn & Scruggs'.

The J. Bevans' City Book Store for latest styles of Picture Framing. More styles and lowest prices. 1-d6w1

Second-hand buggies, spring wagon and road carts for sale by Spencer & Lehman. apr22-dawtf

Henry Bros. make the largest loaves of home made bread of any in the city. bread delivered promptly anywhere it is desired. nov2-d1f

The [illegible] Show will make you [illegible]

Retail Price List Flour and Feed.

White Loaf flour	$3.00	per cwt
Daily Bread flour	2.70	" "
Matchless flour	2.60	" "
Clipper flour	2.40	" "
Corn flour	2.10	" "
Pearl meal and grits	1.20	" "
Cream meal	1.10	" "
Bran and hominy chop	90c	" "
Shorts	70c	" "
Corn, oats and rye chop	90c	" "
Ear and shelled corn	35c	per bu
Oats	30c	" "

Shellabarger Mill & Elevator Co.
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Excursion Rates.

The annual meeting of the German Baptists (Dunkards) will be held at Harrisonburg, Virginia, and from May 29th to June 10th the Wabash will sell round trip tickets at $19.45. The tickets will be good returning up to July 6th.

From June 3 to 11 inclusive the Wabash will sell round trip tickets to Pittsburg, Ohio, for $7.90, to enable persons to attend the annual meeting of Dunkards at that point. Tickets will be good returning until June 22. For further particulars concerning these rates and tickets call on the Wabash ticket agents at the Union depot.

Come and see our buggies, surreys, phaetons, spring wagons and road carts—the best made and cheapest in town.

The Spencer and Lehman Co.,
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WATCH CLUBS.

While watches have, in times past, been considered a luxury, in these days they have become practically a necessity. To provide a good watch is sometimes inconvenient if the whole amount of its value is required at once. To make it possible for every man, woman and youth to supply themselves with a good watch, we propose offering them on what is known as the Club Plan. This plan has been in successful operation in many of the larger cities for several years, and has become very popular as absolute satisfaction is guaranteed.

ITS ADVANTAGES.

1st. By paying one dollar per week, the easiest possible method is offered to secure a watch.

Second. The watches being purchased in large quantities from the makers and sold directly to the consumer, a large profit is saved to the members of the club.

The principle upon which the goods are sold is an equitable one, as the members of the Club are practically a syndicate for the purchase of watches in large quantities at the lowest prices, and thus directly benefitting its members.

Those of the size starting under our management which is a sufficient guarantee that the business will be conducted honestly, and that no goods will be sold except the very highest quality.

We shall run two Clubs. The first of which will be for thirty-five weeks. Each member joining this Club will pay one dollar per week for the full Club term, and each week one member will draw a watch. The gentlemen's watch in this Club is to be a 14 K., filled case, either hunting or open face, richly engraved, warranted to wear for twenty years, with a certificate from the Crescent Watch Case Co., as to its quality, and A FULL JEWELED NICKEL MOVEMENT OF EITHER ELGIN OR WALTHAM MAKE. The ladies' watches are of solid 14 K., gold, tasteful designs, with Elgin movements fully guaranteed.

We propose to offer in the second Club a higher grade watch for gentlemen, with a solid 14 K., elegantly decorated case, and a fine full jeweled nickel Waltham or Elgin movement. This Club will run for fifty-two weeks, each member paying one dollar per week. Ladies' watches in this Club will be equal in value to those for gentlemen, and can be furnished with ornamental diamond cases. In this Club, as in the other, one watch will be drawn each week.

We wish it distinctly understood that this plan has an element of chance in it as every member is sure to get her watch during the Club term. If after partial payment has been made any member desires to pay the remaining amount in full, without waiting for his number to be drawn, he can have his watch at once.

In answer to any of our friends who may think well of this plan, but who has saw a satisfactory watch, would say, that we will furnish diamonds, silverware, or anything in our line upon the same plan.

READ CAREFULLY THE EXPLANATION OF THE WATCH CLUB PLAN.

OTTO E. CURTIS & BRO.,

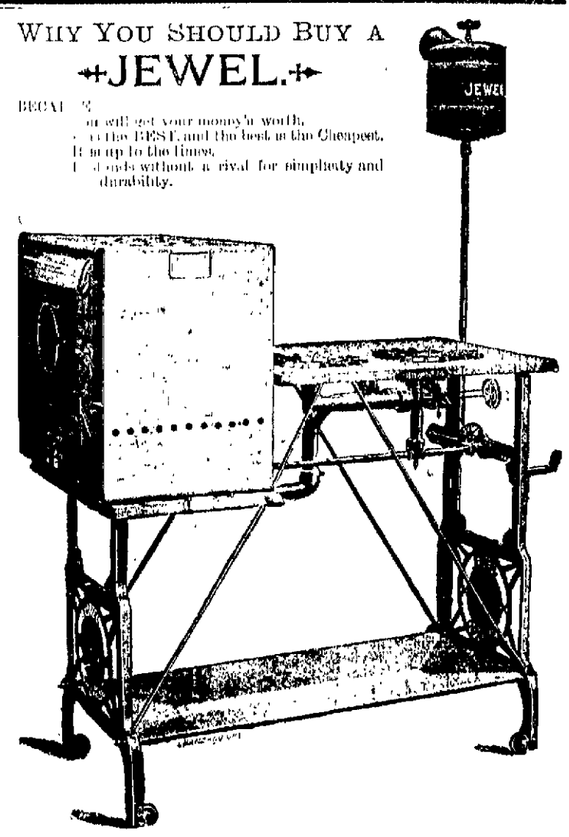
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it will get your money's worth,
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✦MONDAY NEXT,✦

June 10, 1889,

THE NEW STORE,

NEXT TO MILLIKIN'S BANK,

Will Place on Sale:

75 Doz. KID GLOVES at 50c---Former Price, 1.00 and $1.50.

100 Doz. Dressed and Undressed Kid Gloves and Mousquetaires at 75c---Former Price, $1.75 to $2.50.

The Assortment is broken—hence the great sacrifice.

S. HUMPHREYS, Manager.

DAILY REPUBLICAN.

SATURDAY EVE., JUNE 8, 1889.

SIX CUPS

—OF—

COFFEE!

by the best authorities on Coffee Making:

MARIA PARLOE,
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This interesting treatise to loan, by

DINGES & CLOYD,

SOLE AGENTS FOR

Windsor Mocha and Java, Combination Java and No. 4 Coffees.

LOCAL NEWS.

You will find the largest assortment of *Baby Carriages* in the city, at E. D. BARTHOLOMEW & Co.'s.

New Toilet Powders at Irwin's pharmacy.

"Children's Day" with flowers and songs and recitations at the Baptist church to-morrow morning.

Telephone Niedermeyer and get fine berries and choice groceries.

The Decatur ball club left for Bloomington this afternoon to play on Sunday. They go to Champaign Monday.

The Greatest, The Best—The new City Directory for 1889. 8-d2

Seiler family groceries to suit you at J. Lytle & Co.'s store, choice berries and Vienna bread.

Two small boys named Charles Morris and George Roberts were picked up last evening by Marshal Mason for petty thieving, and both were put in jail and kept there until 10 o'clock last night. The stolen articles were recovered.

The largest, the finest and best ever issued in Decatur will be the New Directory for 1889. 8-d2

In the county court to-day Cyrus Zollars, aged 53, whose home is near Macon, was adjudged insane; cause unknown; duration 15 years.

For Sale, cheap, 12-horse power traction engine. Inquire at Union Iron Works. 8-d1w3

The Decatur and Macon Knights of Pythias, forming Decatur Division, Uniform Rank, will leave for Peoria Tuesday morning on a special train, to be gone three days, to attend the State encampment of the Illinois Brigade. The fare will be $2.35 for the round trip.

Order White Foam family flour. It is first-class.

It will pay you to interview C. B. Prescott, the opera block music dealer. He is offering special bargains in Haines and Everett pianos.

Yesterday the president of the Decatur Humane Society had a carriage team, that had not been fed for nearly 48 hours, stopped in the street and taken to a livery stable to be fed. This is the first enforcement of the humane law in Decatur by the society.

Call on Hanks & Patterson at 143 South Water street for everything wanted for the table. Berries a specialty.

Wm. Metcalf, who was an associate of Dr. Lighthouse when in the city, is now under the supervision of Dr. A. W. Dance, and his experience in the line of Indian practice enables him to read diseases at sight and apply the proper remedies. Office at No. 321 East Main st. *

Supplies for the table in great variety at Moore Bros.' grocery store, opera block. Prompt delivery.

It is reported at Springfield that Dr. J. H. Rauch will soon wed Miss Gillett, daughter of the late John D. Gillett, and sister of Mrs. Oglesby, Mrs. D. T. Littler and Mrs. J. C. Hill. But Dr. Rauch says the story is all moonshine, and he ought to know.

Hear This.

These suggestive notes are found in Friday's Danville *News*:

"If Al. Morgan takes hold of the Decatur club, it will not be expelled. Otherwise it will.

"Danville failed to get its guarantee at Decatur Tuesday and that city is liable to expulsion from the league."

What are we to infer from such blasts as the above? What's the matter with Decatur?

The Decatur Christian Endeavor Union will hold a business meeting in the lecture room of the First M. E. church, at the close of the regular Monday night prayer meetings. All members of the Union are urged to remember this. Mary E. Lewis Pres; Virginia H. Order, Secy. 7-3d

Why They Were Not Here.

The following letter explains itself:

Editors Republican: In your report of the band contest held in your city on Wednesday last, you say "that no reason was assigned for the non appearance of the Jacksonville Juvenile Band." Will you kindly state in your valuable columns that the Juvenile Band *was not invited on the south.* That is sufficient reason, I believe. The R. R. expenses were so great from here to your city that we could not afford to come.

Yours, Respy, C. G. JEFFERIES.
JACKSONVILLE, Ill., June 7.

1883 1885 1887 1889.

Is our list so far, but while all have been good, the Directory for 1889 will be the largest, finest and most complete of all. 8-d2

A "Topic" Party.

A very delightful "Topic" party was given last evening at the home of Miss Gertie Wayne, 561 North Franklin street. It was the occasion of the birthdays of Misses Gertie Wayne and Grace Boyer. The evening was most enjoyably spent in cards, music and dancing. At a seasonable hour a fine supper was spread. Upon entering the house each lady was presented with a program of the dances and when the gentleman asked for a dance he was obliged to state the "topic," which he was to discuss with the lady for a period of five minutes.

Among those present were the following: Miss Eva Smith, of Lovington; Miss Lulu Pratt, of Blue Mound; Misses Jennie Leiby, Grace and Jessie Wilson, Mabel Smick, Ethel Wayne, Ruth McCoy, and Messrs. Will Parish, Walter and Will Wayne, Arthur McCoy, Clyde Boyer, Walter Smick and Chas. Kemper.

Acknowledgment.

At a called meeting of the St. John's Aid Society, it was *Resolved*, That the thanks of the society be tendered the ladies and gentlemen who so kindly assisted in rendering the opera, "A Trial by Jury," for the benefit of the New Church Fund; to Mr. West and his well-drilled Decatur Zouaves, who added so much to the entertainment; to Miss Morgan and the young ladies and gentlemen who so well took their part in "The Blind Girl of Castle Cuille.

By order, Mrs. B. K. Durfee, Pres't.
Mrs. V. N. Hostetler, Sec.

ALUMNI REUNION AND BANQUET.

Close of the Celebration of Commencement Day—Music and Feasting.

A Night of Joy and Pleasure in a Rain Storm.

"To-day we face the boundary line
Which marks a vanished year,
While cherished friends of Auld Lang Syne
Clasp hands in greeting here!
And, too, the absent ones, we greet
Through time and change and space,
All radiant skies above them bend!
All sunshine touch each face!"

The High School Class of '89 will have remembrances of Commencement Day other than their parchment diplomas and personal congratulations of relatives and friends. They will ever remember the day of dampness, the rumbling of the carriages, the gallantry of their escorts, the variations by President Westermann in his Alumni address, and most of all the reception, the banquet and the dancing.

12TH ALUMNI REUNION.

Despite the rain the Baptist church was filled last night to attend the 12th annual reunion of the Alumni Association, the front seats being reserved for the thirty graduates. The exercises opened with the "Nabocodonozor" overture by the Opera House Orchestra with Prof. Ball as director, followed by the invocation by Rev. M. M. Goodwin, of St. John's church. The Misses Cora and Bertha Whitmer gave a finely executed piano duet, "Polonaise," which was received with especial favor. Miss Fannie Ehrman, with piano and violin accompaniment by Miss Nell Shroeder and Leo Heilbrun, favored the audience with a vocal gem, "Non ti sear dar no," by *Robanni*. It was a pleasing operatic selection which displayed the surprising range and sweetness of Miss Ehrman's mezzo soprano voice, which is capable of the most difficult execution. In her vocalization she reached high A and sank to low A. Her effort was enthusiastically applauded. The accompaniment was perfect.

ADDRESS OF WELCOME.

Hans T. Westermann, president of the Alumni, and member of the class of '86, delivered the address of welcome. His original manner of delivery awakened general merriment and served as a diversion from the set way of talking to the new members of the association. Unfortunately Hans paid more attention to arranging for the banquet and consequently he had no time to become familiar with his address. However, he got through the ceremonial part of his duty gracefully and gave the graduates a warm greeting. He said in brief:

"It is pleasure and satisfaction to greet so many members of the Alumni Association this evening of our reunion. Last year the energetic and capable young lady who acted as president filled the office so creditably that it would be gross ingratitude not to mention her and tender her our sincere thanks. Fellow alumni, this excellent custom of annual reunion was not established to be discontinued. You must keep up the interest and enthusiasm necessary to success. It is the time when we welcome new graduates from the High School days into the sphere of active life and we should strive our utmost to make the occasion pleasant and enjoyable. We want them to recall with pleasure that evening which marks the end of their school life.

Class of '89, we extend to you a sincere and hearty welcome. We greet you as brothers and sisters of the Alumni Association. You have satisfactorily completed your High School work and have been awarded your diplomas. We receive you in our ranks with joy. May you always hereafter take as much pleasure in receiving other new-comers as we do this evening in welcoming you. Remember, henceforth your lives should be earnest and sincere. Your quiet, happy school days are passed. You enter upon a new phase of life. Every one must play his part, and let each strive to make his the noblest. To rise to the dignity of men is the highest end of social state. Let what you have gained be an impulse to something higher. So power in society, no hardship in your condition can keep you down in knowledge, power and virtue, except by your own consent. Do not be lulled to sleep by the flatteries you hear. You have many deficiencies to be remedied. The remedy lies in a faithful education of yourselves.

Each one goes forth with ambitions and aims which serve as a stimulus and incentive to strive on. You will meet with disappointments and reverses, but do not allow yourselves to become discouraged; but in view of the great evils that we must all contend against. We must overcome it, or it will overcome us and rob us of our energy. Cultivate patience and perseverance.

Our best wishes are with you in all you may undertake. We have sympathetic hearts to share your grief. Your callings in life will separate you far and wide, therefore was this excellent custom of annual reunions established to welcome to new members and meet and greet again our comrades.

Should you some day realize your hopes and ambitions, forget not the Decatur High School, where you received the foundation of your knowledge, nor the Alumni Association, into which you were so warmly received. You leave the guidance of teachers and are about to set sail on an unknown sea. The stern call of duty gives you courage; you are equipped for the stormy passage. In the years that are to come you will often look back with gratitude for the training you have had in the dear old school. Believe me, you will all be better men and women for it. Then let us look back to it with thankfulness for its beauty and its wealth of golden memories."

THE RESPONSE.

Miss Alice Judson, for the class of '89, responded with a neat address, which was delivered in clear tones and was plainly heard. She said:

Mr. President and Members of the Alumni.

Were it possible, I should tender the thanks of the class of '89 for your welcome, in phraseology different from that which has been used so long. But, no matter what the language, the feeling which prompts it is ever the same, so, using the customary speech, "in behalf of the Class of '89," I thank you for the cordial welcome you have extended us. For many months we have looked forward to this evening, when we should take our places among you and say, with pride, "We are members of the Alumni."

I fully appreciate the high tribute which has been paid to a member of my own sex for her faithful and successful efforts in awakening a deeper interest in this time-honored occasion. We will profit by her example and keep the wheels running which she has started, rather than clog them. It is unnecessary to tell you of the many pleasures and disappointments which we have had during our school days. You have gone before us and had similar experiences. Never can we forget those with whom our early school days were spent, and especially those who guided us. I believe I utter the sentiment of the entire class in saying, we shall ever remember with gratitude and affection the faithful teachers who labored patiently with us. And I am sure you will all agree that if the Class of '89 be taken as an example, the work of the teachers has not been in vain.

The new life upon which we enter and concerning which your president has so thoughtfully spoken, is a subject which comes close to all our hearts. That we have been preparing for the responsibilities and duties of life, we may be able to prove to you when we reach the banquet hall this evening. There we will show that we know how in a practical way to apply some of the lessons we have learned—especially that of stick-to-it-iveness.

The sorrow you have experienced since the shadow of death has fallen upon you, is shared in an intensified degree by us; for it has pleased an All-Wise Providence to remove from us one of our own number who was loved by us all. Our consolation is that she has received a beautiful welcome to a higher class and to the banquet of the skies.

We all, I believe, have our aims, our hopes and our dreams. How many of these will be realized, and how many go out in utter darkness, none of us can tell. But, whatever our lives may be, filled with success or disappointment, never can we forget the Alumni Association, nor the kindly welcome we have received this evening.

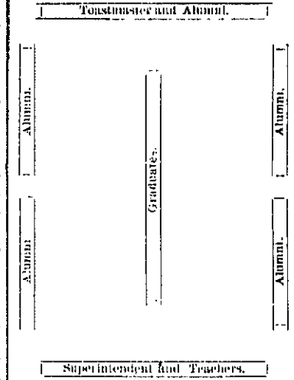
"Good Night, My Beloved," by *Pinsuti*, was the closing musical number of the reunion, a trio, by Miss Lizzie Kniepers Miss Minnie Bachman and Sherman McClelland, the accompaniment by Miss Ehrman.

President Westermann then invited the graduates to the banquet and the audience dispersed.

THE BANQUET.

It was served in Guards' Armory, where the reception was held. The Opera orchestra played a spirited march while the large company assembled and promenaded around the hall, the graduates and the members of the association greeting each other and the teachers warmly as they met in groups and chatted together of the happy days passed in their Alma Mater.

The banquet had been prepared by Mrs. C. W. Snyder, who was assisted by Mrs. Mabel Anderson. It was a fine feast and was served promptly by colored waiters. The tables were arranged as follows:



When all had been seated Toastmaster Hostetler called the company to order and Rev. M. M. Goodwin invoked the Divine blessing, after which the attack on the banquet began.

MENU.

They fatte hem first the sweete wyn
And mede eek in a maselyn,
And rohil spicerayye;
Of gingebreed that was ful fyn,
And lyeorys, and eek comyn,
With sugre that is trye. —*Chaucer*

Jambon a la francaise, a la sauce Mayonaise.
Salade de Saumon. Olives d' Espagne.
Sauce Concombre. Sauce Chou flour.
Sauce Poivre. Sauce Betterave.
Fraises. Oranges. Bannnes. Raisins.
Pommes de Pin. Poires. Prunes.
Creme Glace. Gateau aux raisins de Corinthe
Bisers. Macarons.
Pain des Anges. Pate feuilhete.
Pate de fourneaux. Bon Bons.
Pate de fois gras.

Migawd! It is t-t-much. *Tea Cut Tragedy.*

Wi' sauce ragouts, and sic' like trashtrie,
That's little short o' downright wastrie. —*Burns' Two Dogs.*

Give us *song* and *feasting*, mirth and laughter;
Sermons and soda water, the day after. — *Byron.*

TOASTS.

But, indeed, their invention
Comes from their patres, as bird lime does from frieze,
It pinches out brains and all. —*Othello.*

Our New Members..... .....Miss Gertie Shorb, '88

But what are they?
Infants crying in the night;
Infants crying for the light;
And with no language but a cry. —*Tennyson*

Response for the class. Julius Westerman, '89

Eighty-nine—one of the few, the immortal names,
That were not born to die. —*Halleck.*

The Teachers ... . Miss Vaughn
Herkno what is the sentence of the wyse. —*Chaucer.*

The Rise of the Alumnus ....John Powell
The book'ful blockhead, ignorantly read,
With loads of learned lumber in his head. — *Pope*

The Graduate's Enthusiasm. V. N. Hostetler, '73
Lass Dehnen Gefst in meiner Stimme klingen,
Und was du singst, lass mich es dir nachsingen! —*Taylor's Invocation.*

The toasts caused great merriment. Those by Miss Vaughan and Mr. Powell were especially humorous, as both teachers used the shaft of sarcasm mercilessly in hits at the peculiarities of the different members of the High School faculty, and in a general way alluded to the habits of the pupils who go through the city college.

Tender allusions to deceased members were offered. Mr. Hostetler offered a tribute to the late Mrs. Ruth Culver-Vestal; Miss Minnie Abel spoke of the death of the late Eliza Hall, and Miss Nita Clark offered remarks in memory of Ella Antrim, of the class of '89, who died in May. The death of Laura Lindsay was announced.

The spirited singing of college songs, led by Boring Burrows with banjo accompaniment, was a marked feature of the banquet and afforded much enjoyment. The selections included "Pierre de Bonton," "Mary Had a Little Lamb," "Michael Roy," "Way up on the Mountain Top," "When I was a Student at Cadiz," "Spanish Guitar," "McSorley's Twins," "Packy Duffy's Cart," "McIntyre," "Mrs. Brady," "Over the Banister" and "Sweet and Low."

Seated around the table were 145 banqueters, and nearly everybody joined in the chorus of songs, the closing number being "Should Auld Acquaintance be Forget."

DANCING.

It was announced at 11 o'clock that those who wished to vacate the hall could do so, but all were invited to remain and participate in the dance which would close the reunion. It was noticed that nearly the entire company remained and as soon as the tables were moved back against the walls, and the floor too liberally waxed, the dancing began and was kept up until 2 a. m. A dozen or more couples from the Redotte and Home Circle clubs were among the invited guests at the dance. They appeared in party costumes.

A Foundry and a College.

The called meeting of the Decatur Board of Trade, held at the office of J. M. Clokey last night, was fairly well attended considering the inclemency of the weather. Two very important propositions affecting the business interests of Decatur were considered. One was the location of a stove factory plant at this point. It now employs 50 men the year round, and is soon to be moved to some central point in the west like Decatur. Secretary Clokey believes it is a big thing and thinks it can be secured if proper efforts are made. Messrs. W. J. Quinlan, Charles M. Hurst and Henry Mathews were appointed as a committee to investigate and report. The other point discussed was the possible removal of the United Brethren college from Westfield, Ill., to Decatur. The college has existed 24 years and now has about 200 students. There are twelve professors, and the removal of the college would be a great advantage to Decatur in many ways. Three of the thirteen members of the board of trustees are L. B. Casner, A. F. Hopkins and H. W. Trueblood, of this county. The annual meeting of the board will be held on Sunday, and during the college commencement next week the question of removal will be discussed by the trustees. Mayor Kanan, W. H. Linn, A. Kramer, W. B. Chambers, Dr. Vosburgh and J. M. Clokey were appointed to look after the interests of Decatur in reference to the removal of the college.

Uniform Rank, Knights of Pythias.

Excursion to Peoria June 11th; special train leaves Union Depot at 8:30 a. m. Everybody invited to go. One fare for round trip. Good returning until the 15th. 7-3d

THE CIRCUIT COURT.

Judge Vail on the Bench—Orders on the Dockets.

Judge Vail opened the second day of the June term of the circuit court this morning.

TEN INDICTMENTS.

The grand jury reported 10 true bills, mostly indictments against prisoners confined in the county jail or out on bail.

There were no indictments found against John Cassidy for assaulting Tom Lord; nor against John Anderson and William Segrass for burglary and larceny, John Jackson for larceny, and F. C. Yeager for assault, and they were ordered discharged.

The William Bolz perjury case was continued until the next term of court.

NO CHANGE.

Judge Vail adjourned court this afternoon until Monday at 1:30 p. m. Judge Hughes will not preside at this term. Civil and jail cases will receive attention during the term.

BOND APPROVED.

The official bond of James J. Finn, master in chancery, in the sum of $10,000, with K. H. Roby and B. O. McReynolds as sureties, was approved by Judge Vail.

CHANCERY DOCKET.

J. T. Roberts vs. E. F. and Nicy B. Richards; foreclosure. F. A. Brown appointed guardian for minor defendants; decree against adults not answering and referred to master.

David E. Mixell vs. Emma Mixell; divorce. Continued for service.

Sexton E. Smith vs. Silas R. Warrick; injunction. Motion entered to dissolve injunction for want of equity on face of bill.

Same vs. E. B. Sanner; injunction. Same order.

Thomas Dewey vs. Lewis Thompson et al; foreclosure. Appearance of Lewis Thompson and Mary J. Thompson in writing.

Lydia E. Budelson et al vs. Anna M. Myers; dower. Decree pro confesso and referred to master.

Fannie D. Delaney vs. James G. Delaney; divorce. Decree pro confesso.

W. A. Thrift vs. Anna C. Thrift et al; chancery. I. D. Walker appointed guardian for minor defendants.

Josephine Goodman vs. Frank Goodman; divorce. Evidence heard and divorce granted. The mother was given custody of the child.

Melvin S. Miller et al vs. Catherine E. Miller et al; partition. F. A. Brown appointed guardian for minors; decree against defendants not answering.

Catherine Yeager vs. F. C. Yeager; divorce. Decree pro confesso.

Sylvanus Duke vs. William Kizer et al; mechanics' lien. Dismissed by complainant.

Sylla Maden vs. Fanny Maden; divorce. Continued for service.

Margaret Corn vs. Adam M. Corn; divorce. Decree pro confesso.

William C. Drake vs. Frances I. Drake; divorce. Motion by defendant for solicitor's fees and alimony.

COMMON LAW DOCKET.

Isaac A. Harkreader vs. George Priest et al; assumpsit. Default against D. S. Priest and A. N. Diehl; damages assessed at $1060.

Frank Myers vs. Lon Ehert; assumpsit. Default; judgment for $306.12.

Galaxy Mill Co. vs. A. O. Brewer; assumpsit. Default; judgment for $570.79.

D. H. Bellman & Son vs. Lydia A. Craig; assumpsit. Default; judgment for $274.25.

The People of the State of Illinois vs. E. McClellan et al; debt; two cases. Motion for rule on plaintiff to file bill of particulars allowed and rule on plaintiff to file bill of particulars by Sept. 1, '89.

This forenoon Marshal Mason arrested Sherman Miller, the 14-year old boy who stole a watch yesterday from a plasterer, Charles Bonnett, who had hung his vest on the end of a lath in the Mattes building on North Main street. The boy confessed his guilt. He is in jail. He sold the watch to a boy. It has been recovered.

A Counterfeiter Caught.

Some days ago it will be remembered that Decatur merchants and saloonkeepers had about a dozen counterfeit $10 greenbacks unloaded upon them by a stranger, who was described as having one of his fingers cut off smooth to the palm. The name of the smooth chap is Lon Barrett. He was captured Friday at Terre Haute by Officers Dwyer and Murray, who, while in Decatur Forepaugh day, got a description of the counterfeiter from Marshal Mason. When taken in he had $90 in counterfeit, all of $10 denomination, and he had passed one of the bills at a saloon. He is recognized as a dangerous crook who has served a term in the Indiana penitentiary and as a member of the Sam Rivers' gang of horse thieves. Barrett has been taken to Indianapolis for prosecution. Decatur victims will be grateful to learn of the capture of the crook.

PERSONAL MENTION

Dr. R Tolley returned to Macon to-day.

Mrs. R. Gallagher, of Chicago, is the guest of Mrs. J. W. Haworth

Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Turner were in the city yesterday.

Mrs. M. Glore, is recovering from her late illness.

Miss Ruth Odor, of Springfield, arrived to-day on a visit to Miss Alice Tyler.

Mrs. H. H. Cros and children returned to Monticello this morning.

Miss Katie Pogram, of Lincoln, is in the city visiting her sister, Mrs. A. T. Summers.

Millie Batchelder, of the graduating class of '89, left for her home near Warrensburg this morning.

Miss Eva Lewis, who was visiting friends in the city yesterday, returned to-day to her home at Champaign.

Mrs. Isabella Gregory and Miss Stella Gregory, of Lovington, are in the city visiting W. W. Foster and family.

Mrs. S. B. Knight, who has been visiting Decatur friends for some time, returned to her home in Chicago this morning.

A. J. Wood, wife and daughter, Miss Ardie, left this morning for Marquand Mo., on a visit of several weeks to Mrs. W's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Elwood.

Harry Bumstead, who is a student at at Johns' Hopkins University at Baltimore, arrived home last night to spend his summer vacation.

Mrs. Cass Chenoweth and son Bruce, left to-day on a month's visit to relations at Boscobel, Wis. She will visit in Chicago a few days before proceeding to Boscobel.

Miss Marie Shellabarger, who has been attending school at Washington for some months, returned home last evening, accompanied by her friend Miss Crouch, who will remain in the city several days.

You Don't Say So!

Had the De Molay band gone to the Decatur contest Wednesday, it would no doubt have secured the first prize. Spencer's band, of Peoria, had no opponent for the $100 and the De Molay, as it is now constituted, could have knocked Lem Wiley's horn blowers where corn is $5 a bushel.—*Bloomington Pantagraph.*

Then why didn't De Molay come down? Better get in shape for the '90 tournament. Spencer will be here then, and so will Goodman's Band.

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Corn—34 June; 34¼ July; 34⅜ Aug; 35½ Sept.
Oats—22 June; 22¾ July; 22½ Aug. 22⅝ Sept.
Pork—$11.77 June; $11.80 July; $11.95 August.
Lard—$6.65 June; $6.70 July; $6.77 August.
Ribs—$5.00 June; $5.00 July; $5.07 August.
Live Stock—Estimated receipts—Hogs 11,000; market slow.
Cattle, 2,000; market easy.
Our Lots—Wheat, Winter, 25; Spring, 10; Corn, 600; Oats, 400.

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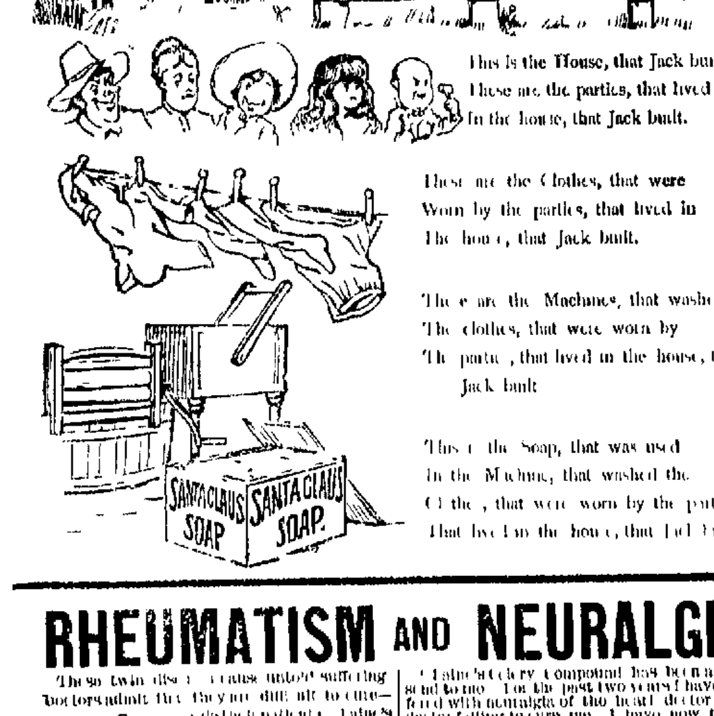
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WABASH, ST. LOUIS & PACIFIC RAILWAY.

(NOTE.—"From" denotes time of arrival. "To" denotes time of departure.

FROM ST. LOUIS		TO ST. LOUIS	
No 10 Pass	1 00 p m	No 9 Pass	6 0 a m
No 4 Pass	11 09 a m	No 3 Pass	3 16 a m
No 44 Pass	11 10 a m	No 13 Pass	1 05 p m
No 42 Pass	10 1 p m	No 15 Pass	2 01 p m
No 2 Pass	11 55 p m	No 5 Pass	1 07 p m
No 70 Freight	6 30 p m	No 71 Freight	7 1 a m

FROM QUINCY		TO QUINCY	
No 42 Pass	10 10 p m	No 13 Pass	1 a m
No 44 Pass	10 50 a m	No 1 Pass	10 p m
No 6 Pass	8 15 a m	No 3 Pass	9 0 p m
No 48 Acc	7 45 p m	No 1 Acc	8 a m
No 70 Freight	10 15 a m	No 1 Freight	12 30 p m

FROM TOLEDO & DETROIT		TO TOLEDO & DETROIT	
No 43 Pass	1 50 a m	No 3 Pass	5 a m
No 45 Pass	2 30 p m	No 44 Pass	11 17 a m
No 41 Pass	9 00 p m	No 42 Pass	10 p m
No 77 Pass		No 47 Pass	
from Bement	11 00 a m	to Bement	1 p m

FROM CHICAGO		TO CHICAGO	
No 1 Pass	1 15 a m	No 2 Pass	12 05 a m
No 5 Pass	2 45 p m	No 1 Pass	11 25 a m
No 1 Pass	8 50 p m	No 6 Pass	6 5 a m

ILLINOIS CENTRAL.

NORTH.		SOUTH	
No. 2 Pass	7 10 a m	No 1 Pass	5 02 p m
No. 4 Pass	12 31 a m	No 3 Pass	10 25 a m
No 12 Pass	5 05 p m	No 11 Freight	1 15 a m
No 8, Champaign		No 1 Champaign	
Line arrives	10 17 a m	Line leaves	3 15 p m
No 10, Freight	4 10 p m		

INDIANAPOLIS, DECATUR & WESTERN.

ARRIVE		LEAVE	
No 1 Pass.	2 13 p m	No 2 Pass.	11 12 a m
No 3 Pass	4 00 a m	No 4 Pass	10 50 p m
No 7, Pass	10 00 a m	No 8 Pass	1 00 p m

PEORIA, DECATUR & EVANSVILLE.

NORTH		SOUTH	
No. 2 Pass	2 15 p m	No 1 Pass	11 00 a m
No. 4 Pass	7 00 a m	No 3 Pass	10 00 p m
No. 20 Freight	10 55 a m	No 19 Freight	3 00 p m

TERRE HAUTE & PEORIA.

EAST.		WEST.	
No. 2 Pass....	2:26 p m	No. 1 Pass.	12 45 p m
No. 4 Pass....	7:10 a m	No. 3 Pass. ar.	7:30 p m
No. 6 Freight	[illegible]	No. 5 Freight	4:00 a m
No. 8 Freight	[illegible]	No. 7 Freight	[illegible]

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FOREIGN NEWS.

Mr. Blaine's Ambition to Prove Himself a Great Diplomat.

The Maybrick Murder—Thunder and Lightning—German Generosity in Aid of the Flood Sufferers.

An American of French Descent—A Great Conflagration—Raised a Hubbub, Etc.

England.

DIPLOMATIC DRAW-POKER.

LONDON, June 7.—The St James Gazette prints a leading editorial on the subject of the Behring Sea controversy, which it heads "Diplomatic Draw-Poker." The article declares that the key to Mr Blaine's preposterous claims in Behring Sea is his belief that a first-class controversy with England is necessary to mark him as a diplomat of the foremost rank. Blaine knows that a lot of bluff will sometimes prevent a call from any but the strongest hands. The article concludes that the United States Government has set up a fictitious claim in Behring Sea solely with a view to offset the Canadian claims in the fisheries disputes.

THE MAYBRICK MURDER

LONDON, June 7.—The proceedings of the coroner's inquest on the body of Mr Maybrick were brought to an end yesterday by the jury bringing in a verdict of wilful murder against Mrs Maybrick. One of the witnesses, a chemist, who testified yesterday, swore that he found a bottle of arsenic in Mrs. Maybrick's trunk, and found a glass chocolate box in her room which also contained arsenic.

THUNDER AND LIGHTNING

LONDON, June 7.—A tremendous thunder-storm passed over London yesterday. The lightning was intensely vivid. Much property was damaged and several cases of loss of life are reported.

WON BY KINGSCOTE

LONDON, June 7.—The race for the Epsom grand prize of 1,000 sovereigns yesterday was won by Kingscote, Melancon second, Indian Prince third.

JOINED THE SEAMAN'S STRIKE

LONDON, June 7.—The dock laborers of Glasgow, Greenock, Belfast and Londonderry have joined the seaman's strike.

Germany

RECIPROCAL GENEROSITY

BERLIN, June 7.—The Nord Deutsche Allgemeine Zeitung, in an editorial yesterday on the Johnstown floods, closed with a call upon German generosity in aid of the sufferers. America, it says, has never been slow or niggardly in responding to the voice of distress when it arose in Europe. Let us now show Americans that Germany, too, can be generous.

The cotton mills in Offenburg, Baden, were destroyed by fire yesterday, involving a loss of 700,000 marks. Several workmen were killed.

Disastrous floods are reported from different parts of Bavaria, with considerable destruction of property. The crops are ruined in many sections.

MURDER OF THE MARCHIONESS DE CHESTELER

BRUSSELS, June 6.—The Marchioness De Chesteler, belonging to one of the oldest of the noble families of Belgium, was found murdered in her bed at her residence, the Chateau Moulbaix, at Mons, this morning. The crime has created great excitement.

The Marchioness de Chesteller was shot through the heart. The ball having been fired at her through a window, the report of the weapon projecting it was not heard within the house. It is supposed that the murderer is a farmer who was angry with the Marchioness for refusing to reduce his rent.

AN AMERICAN OF FRENCH DESCENT

LONDON, June 7.—The Koelnische Zeitung comments very severely upon Lady Randolph Churchill's recent criticisms upon the Germans in an English magazine. The paper said Lady Churchill evidently desired to revenge herself upon the whole German nation for the slight Prince Bismarck put upon her in failing to invite her to meet him on the occasion of her recent visit to Berlin. The article concludes "It ought to be remembered that Lady Churchill is an American of French descent."

A GREAT CONFLAGRATION

LONDON, June 7.—A fire in the village of Liborsch, near Ratibor, in Prussian Silesia Wednesday, destroyed 105 houses, including the village church and vicarage. Seven hundred of the villagers are rendered homeless.

AN AMERICAN DETECTIVE ROBBED

BERLIN, June 7.—A New York detective who came from the Paris Exhibition and is now visiting in Berlin, had his pocket picked here yesterday. He lost his money and some valuable papers.

Switzerland

RAISED A HUBBUB

LONDON, June 7. News comes from Berne that considerable friction has developed between the German and Swiss governments over the recent expulsion from Swiss territory of the German police official, Herr Wohlgemuth. The German authorities at Berlin are never at their ease if there is a single German Socialist in Europe without a policeman to shadow him. To look after the little colony of exiles in Switzerland, the government officials at Berlin not long since sent Herr Wohlgemuth into that country, and this gentleman growing restless, because his intended victims would not promptly make a move which would entitle him to pounce upon them bribed a Swiss Socialist to go amongst them to stir them up. This man, however, instead of leading his German brethren into the trap so neatly set for them, disclosed the whole proceeding to his government, whereupon Herr Wohlgemuth was promptly imprisoned. German official influence secured his release, but he was given twenty-four hours to shake the dust of Switzerland from his feet. This, it was thought at the time, would more than satisfy the German Government but in this the Swiss made a mistake. Bismarck now demands that the decree of expulsion be rescinded claiming that the Swiss had failed to observe toward Germany the usual diplomatic courtesy. The whole proceeding excites considerable indignation among diplomats here who are acquainted with the facts, and Germany is generally regarded as playing the part of a big bully toward her weaker neighbor. This is not the only case of the kind Switzerland has on her hands. A Russian spy was recently expeled from her territory under precisely similar circumstances, and Russia now is also raising a hubbub about it. The picture of Germany and Russia uniting their forces to crush poor little Switzerland would be an instructive one to the enthusiastic admirers of monarchical chivalry.

France

HE SAID HIS PIECE.

PARIS, June 7.—An exciting scene occurred in the Chamber of Deputies yesterday when M Ferry rose to speak on the educational budget. The members of the Right rose as one man and shouted and shrieked until they became hoarse. M. Ferry remained standing in his place coolly waiting for an opportunity to be heard, but his enemies kept up the cry "The blood of the Tonquin dead choke you," while insults of the coarsest nature were hurled at him fast and thick. When the angry Deputies had quieted down somewhat from sheer exhaustion, Paul de Cassagnac rose and with a contemptuous nod in the direction of the ex-Premier, said "Let us submit to the infliction. Let us listen to this bourgeois, this Vendean Deputy." Then facing the President, who was all the time shouting "Order," "Order" he said "We swallow our disgust, Mr. President. Let him talk." Ferry then proceeded with his speech.

THE CRONIN INQUEST.

Testimony Tending to Show the Connection of the Clan-na-Gael,

And of Particular Prominent Members with the Dastardly Assassination—The Doctor's Presentiment

CHICAGO, June 7. The Cronin inquest was resumed at fifteen minutes past ten o'clock yesterday morning. Willard J Smith, the young man who was for a time suspected to be Coughlin's friend from Michigan was the first witness. Nothing new was developed by his testimony. One of the sensations promised for the day is the introduction of the books of the firm of J. T. Lester & Co., containing the account of the dealings of Alexander Sullivan with the concern.

Stewart L. Moore, a clerk in the employ of J. T. Lester & Co., testified to certain transactions Alexander Sullivan had with the firm. They were chiefly in railroad stocks, and covered a period from June 1, 1883, to February 28, 1883. The total trades showed losses to Sullivan between five thousand and eight thousand dollars. The total amount of margins was $125,000.

Thomas O'Connor, an employe of the city law department, was the next witness. He was a member of Camp No 96 Clan-na-Gael the same one to which Coughlin and P O Sullivan belonged. He had known Dr. Cronin for four or five years. Dr Cronin told him he was afraid of his life on account of some exposures he had made of misappropriations of funds by certain members of the Clan-na-Gael. He did not mention any names. Had known Coughlin about five years. He met P. O. Sullivan in front of his house the third night after Cronin's disappearance. He asked Sullivan how long he had known Cronin. Sullivan said ever since John Finnerty ran for city treasurer. Witness was present when Daniel Brown, of Camp No 16 of the Clan-na-Gael, and the police officer on duty at the Stanton avenue station presented and read charges in Camp No 96 which he had presented in Camp No 16. They charged Dr Cronin with reading in the camp of which he was the chief officer a circular from a camp which had been expeled from the order by the executive body. A committee composed of Lawrence R Buckley, Frank Murray, Dan Coughlin, John P O'Malley, James J. Cuneo and one other whose name he did not remember, were appointed to investigate the charges. They reported the result of their investigation to the executive body which expeled Dr Cronin. On Friday after Dr Cronin's disappearance, witness met Dan Coughlin and Officer Whalen on a corner. They spoke of the disappearance. Coughlin said he believed Cronin was in London with Le Caron. Witness expressed the belief that he was true to the Irish cause, and was not there. Coughlin replied "I hope he is over there and is alive."

Witness then told of having been approached by a man unknown to him who told him he might be selected for some work across the water. On Dr Cronin's advice he determined to have nothing to do with it.

At the afternoon session John F. Beggs, the lawyer, who has figured in the case as a personal friend of Alexander Sullivan, and who went East on a mysterious mission for the latter, was the principal witness. Under a close cross-examination he admitted that he was the present senior guardian of Camp No 20 of the Clan-na-Gael. There was no roster of the camp in existence. He could not swear that he did not meet Detective Coughlin on the day of Cronin's disappearance, nor on the following day pleading faulty memory. He remembered, however that he was at the Grand Pacific the night in question with a party of friends. At a camp meeting in January, he said there were several attacks by inuendo upon Alexander Sullivan, and in response he pitched into the speakers and handled them without gloves, telling them that if they wanted to abuse Sullivan they should mention his name and not attack him under cover in a cowardly manner. He repeated the story of going to New York on May 11 and meeting a man named Powers who told him that he had met Starkey, the fugitive jury briber. From thence he went to Spring Valley, N Y. Witness emphatically denied that he sent a dispatch from that point signed with his initials, to the effect that he had met Dr. Cronin. From Spring valley he went to Niagara Falls, where he met John H Ronayne, a member of the Clan-na-Gael executive committee. They had a general talk. He had seen Alexander Sullivan since his return but not a word passed about the finding of the body. Replying to a final question Beggs said that he had no theory regarding the murder.

A. J Ford, another member of Camp No. 20, corroborated previous witnesses regarding Cronin having been expeled at one time from the order.

Incidentally it came out that Thomas Murphy, father of the Miss Murphy who claimed to have seen Dr. Cronin on a street car on the night of the murder was a member of the trial committee.

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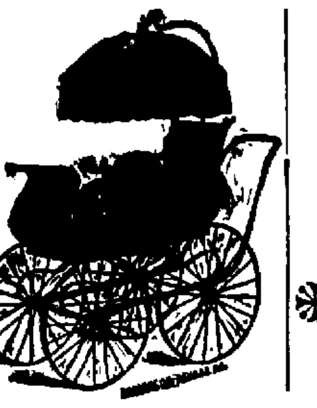
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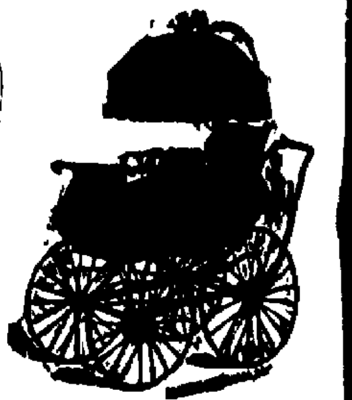
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